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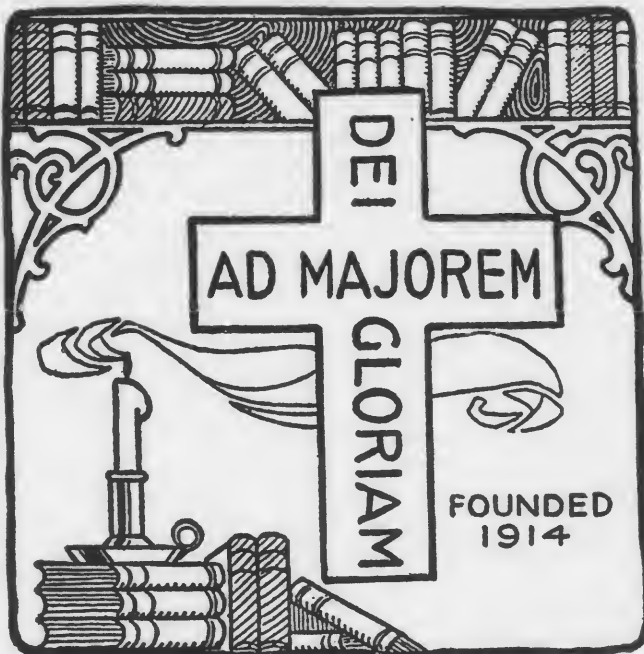
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| 1832—Francis M. Mills. | 1866—John T. Maxwell. |
| 1833—David Thomas. | Wm. A. McDonald. |
| 1834—Nelson Head. | John A. Kern. |
| 1837—Wm. G. Eggleston. | Isaac W. Canter. |
| 1842—J. Hoffman Waugh. | Benjamin F. Ball. |
| 1844—John W. Tongue. | James R. VanHorne. |
| Samuel K. Cox. | 1867—Rufus H. Wilson. |
| 1845—Joshua M. Grandin. | Walter W. Watts. |
| 1846—John W. Wolfe. | Thomas W. Brown. |
| Robert Smith. | H. Monroe Strickler. |
| 1848—Samuel Rodgers. | Silas R. Snapp. |
| Charles G. Linthicum. | 1868—David Bush. |
| John T. Wightman. | Asbury R. Martin. |
| 1849—James M. Follansbee. | Henry H. Kennedy. |
| 1851—J. Newman Hank. | Robert Ross. |
| John W. Boteler. | Wm. H. D. Harper. |
| 1853—James E. Armstrong. | Lewis G. Martin. |
| James S. Gardner. | 1869—Frazier Furr. |
| Thomas E. Carson. | George T. Tyler. |
| Hamilton A. Gaver. | Wm. O. Ross. |
| Ephraim L. Kregelo. | Henry D. Bishop. |
| 1854—Robert R. S. Hough. | Francis H. Shipley. |
| 1855—James H. Wolff. | 1870—Jefferson W. Duffey. |
| Francis A. Mercer. | John S. Hutchinson. |
| Joseph H. Temple. | 1871—William E. Miller. |
| 1856—Philip S. E. Sixeas. | Beverly W. Bond. |
| Saul B. Dolly. | Hamilton W. Kinzer. |
| Joseph J. Engle. | Asbury C. McNeer. |
| Rumsey Smithson. | Thomas Cooper. |
| 1857—Aaron Boon. | 1872—Frank A. Strother. |
| James S. Porter. | Sydnor G. Ferguson. |
| Wm. G. Hammond. | John C. Sedwick. |
| 1858—A. Poe Boude. | Lewis L. Lloyd. |
| J. Hervey DuLany. | Oliver C. Beall. |
| 1859—John W. Canter. | Lafayette Fox. |
| Thomas Briley. | Quincy A. Wheat. |
| William Hedges. | 1873—James T. Williams. |
| Lewis H. Graybill. | 1874—J. Robert Andrew. |
| Larkin H. Crenshaw. | J. Frederick Baggs. |
| Sylvanus Townsend. | Thomas G. Nevitt. |
| 1860—Lewis R. Jones. | Oscar F. Burgess. |
| William K. Boyle. | Charles E. Simmons. |
| John P. Hyde. | Rufus M. Wheeler. |
| George H. Zimmerman. | 1875—James H. Boyd. |
| Leonidas Butt. | Andrew M. Cackley. |
| J. Lester Shipley. | Henry S. Coe. |
| Edward H. Henry. | Luke R. Markwood. |
| Felix R. Hill. | William B. Dorsey. |
| 1861—Lemuel W. Haslup. | J. Kyle Gilbert. |
| Peter H. Whisner. | Wm Melville. |
| Adam Q. Flaherty. | 1876—George T. D. Collins. |
| Charles A. Joyce. | J. Latimer Kibler. |
| Mabury G. Balthis. | William E. Woolf. |
| 1863—Allen A. P. Neel. | John H. Davidson. |
| 1864—Joseph J. Crickenberger. | Alfred O. Armstrong. |
| Charles L. Damaron. | Felix M. Totten. |
| Addison Weller. | 1877—William H. Woolf. |
| Wesley Hammond. | German O. Homan. |

1877—Jacob S. Hopkins. John C. Jones. Henry P. Hamill.	1886—Samuel A. Parker. Wm. F. Hammer. Geo. R. Mays. Chas. W. Cook. Fisk E. Hammond.
1878—John A. Anderson. William K. Marshall. William H. Sanders.	1887—Norman N. Hall. Milton M. Long. Thomas J. Miller.
1879—James W. Grubb. David F. Eutsler. W. P. Conway Coe. John O. Tackett.	1888—William M. Waters. Charles K. Millican. William F. Locke. Carleton D. Harris. Charles S. Stanton. Walter J. Hubbard.
1880—Collins Denny. John C. Thrasher. Henry A. Brown.	1889—Jacob M. Eavey. Harry L. Myerly.
1881—John W. Mitchell. Simpson V. Hildebrand. Frank T. Griffith. J. Edgar Wilson.	1890—William L. Smith. Alfred B. Sites. Samuel M. Bowman. John W. Beall. William H. H. Joyce. William T. Gover. John S. Engle. Isaac G. Michael. John H. Wilhite.
1882—James M. Hawley. David L. Reid. Charles W. Mark. Charles B. Sutton.	1891—John L. Grant. William H. Marsh. Robert L. Fultz. Charles M. Sarver. John C. Hawk. Archibald C. Hamill. James H. Wells.
1883—Jefferson D. Martin. James L. Henderson. George D. White.	1892—Henry T. Wirgman. William S. Hammond. John H. Schooley. Henry L. Hout. John W. McNeil.
1884—Forrest J. Prettyman. Clarence L. Kennard. Wm. L. Dolly. John H. Light. John O. Knott. John H. Kuhlman. C. Harry Buchanan.	
1885—James P. Stump. Wm. A. Sites. Hamilton M. Roane.	
1886—Charles H. Wood. Thomas J. Lambert. William H. Ballangee. Christopher Sydenstricker.	
	TOTAL.....191.

LAY REPRESENTATIVES.

BALTIMORE DISTRICT—James F. Poole, Robert Magruder, John W. Shipley, Charles F. Diggs.
EAST BALTIMORE DISTRICT—Joseph E. Eggleston, Nehemiah E. Nicols, Francis G. Maxwell, J. Thomas Hutchins.
WASHINGTON DISTRICT—Albanus L. Johnson, Henry M. Woolf, James E. Alexander, Wm. H. Thomas.
WINCHESTER DISTRICT—M. Lauck Walton, John W. McCarty, George J. Cunningham, Harold T. Miley.
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Walter W. Robertson, Jos. P. Houck, Edward J. Armstrong, James T. Grubb.
ROANOKE DISTRICT—George L. Stevens, Joseph B. Buhrman, Jas. H. H. Figgatt, Levi B. Atkins.
LEWISBURG DISTRICT—A. E. Huddleston, R. Washington Hill, L. J. Williams, M. L. Woodzell.
MOOREFIELD DISTRICT—H. H. Jones, J. W. Thompson, Fuller Barnard, John A. Robinson.

GENERAL MINUTES.

Ques. I. Who are admitted on trial?

Ans. Eldridge Veitch Regester, James M. Anderson, Edward H. Dashiell, John Henderson Dills, Chas. Washington Moore, Fredk. A. Gains, Daniel Mason Brown, Levi Burrell Atkins, Jesse Lee McNeer, Courtland Price Smith, William Stevens.

Ques. II. Who remain on trial?

Ans. *Linwood Hammond, William D. Keene, B. Lee Parrott, Harrah M. Reed, †James Henry Smith, †William J. Whitesell, Henry A. Wilson, Homer T. Hieronimus.

*Continued in the class of the First Year under Ques. I.

†Local Deacons.

Ques. III. Who are discontinued?

Ans. John T. Kestler, at his own request; Josiah J. Ringer, to go to school; Sidney J. Sarver, at his own request.

Ques. IV. Who are admitted into full connection?

Ans. William S. Hammond, John H. Schooley, Henry L. Hout, John W. McNeil.

Ques. V. Who are re-admitted?

Ans. J. Edgar Wilson, Walter J. Hubbard.

Ques. VI. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?

Ans. Richard H. Bennett, from Virginia Conference; G. Wesley Moore, from South Western Missouri Conference.

Ques. VII. Who are the Deacons of one year?

Ans. Alfred B. Sites, *John L. Grant, William H. Marsh, Robert L. Fultz, Chas. M. Sarver, John C. Hawk, Archibald C. Hamill, James H. Wells.

*Continued in the class of the Third Year under Ques. IV.

Ques. VIII. What traveling preachers are elected Deacons?

Ans. William S. Hammond, John H. Schooley, Henry L. Hout.

Ques. IX. What traveling preachers are ordained Deacons?

Ans. William S. Hammond, John H. Schooley, Henry L. Hout.

Ques. X. What local preachers are elected Deacons?

Ans. John H. Dills, Wm. C. Sherlock, Harrah M. Reed, William D. Keene, William Stevens.

Ques. XI. What local preachers are ordained Deacons?

Ans. John H. Dills, Wm. C. Sherlock, Harrah M. Reed, William D. Keene, William Stevens.

Ques. XII. What traveling preachers are elected Elders?

Ans. Jacob M. Eavey, William L. Smith, Samuel M. Bowman, John W. Beall, William T. Gover, William H. H. Joyce, John S. Engle, Isaac G. Michael, John H. Wilhite.

Ques. XIII. What traveling preachers are ordained Elders?

Ans. Jacob Eavey, William L. Smith, Samuel M. Bowman, John W. Beall, William T. Gover, William H. H. Joyce, John S. Engle, Isaac G. Michael, John H. Willite; and admitted unto full connection as an ordained Elder, Henry T. Wirgman.

Ques. XIV. What local preachers are elected Elders?

Ans. Charles L. Potter.

Ques. XV. What local preachers are ordained Elders?

Ans. Charles L. Potter.

Ques. XVI. Who are located this year?

Ans. John K. White, Oscar W. Lusby.

Ques. XVII. Who are Supernumerary?

Ans. J. Newman Hank, John W. Boteler, Ephraim L. Kregelo, Joseph J. Engle, Asbury R. Martin, Jacob S. Hopkins.

Ques. XVIII. Who are Superannuated?

Ans. Francis M. Mills, David Thomas, Nelson Head, J. Hoffman Waugh, John W. Tongue, Joshua M. Grandin, John W. Wolfe, Robert Smith, Charles G. Linthicum, James M. Follansbee, Joseph H. Temple, Francis A. Mercer, Aaron Boon, William Hedges, William K. Boyle, Mabury G. Balthis, Charles L. Dameron, Wesley Hammond, Robert Ross, Hamilton W. Kinzer.

Ques. XIX. What preachers have died during the past year?

Ans. George Stevenson, William A. Wade, Samuel W. Haddaway, Charles M. Brown, Wm. W. Hedrick.

Ques. XX. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?

Ans. Their names were called, one by one, and their characters were examined and passed. Expelled: Charles M. Bragg. Withdrawn: V. W. Wheeler.

Ques. XXI. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several Circuits, Stations and Missions of the Conference?

Ans. Local preachers, 119; white members, 45,712; colored members, 29. Total, 45,960.

Ques. XXII. How many infants have been baptized during the year?

Ans. 1,606.

Ques. XXIII. How many adults have been baptized during the year?

Ans. 1,834.

Ques XXIV. What is the number of Sunday Schools?

Ans. 538.

Ques. XXV. What is the number of Sunday-school Teachers?

Ans. 5,190.

Ques. XXVI. What is the number of Sunday-school Scholars?

Ans. 38,195.

Ques. XXVII. What amount is necessary for the Superannuated Preachers, and the widows and orphans of Preachers?

Ans. \$8,446.

Ques. XXVIII. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied?

Ans. \$8,446. See Report Joint Board of Finance.

Ques. XXIX. What has been contributed for missions?

Ans. Foreign, \$10,636.32; Debt, \$487.44; Domestic, \$5,874.51; Woman's Missionary Society, \$2,733.04. Total, \$19,731.31.

Ques. XXX. What has been contributed for Church extension ?

Ans. \$2,092.

Ques. XXXI. What is the number, and what is the estimated value of Church edifices ?

Ans. Number, 480 ; value, \$1,082,363.

Ques. XXXII. What is the number, and what is the estimated value of parsonages ?

Ans. Number, 128 ; value, \$215,900.

Ques. XXXIII. What are the Educational Statistics ?

Ans. Randolph-Macon College, officers and teachers, 15 ; students, 136 ; buildings, apparatus and endowment, \$250,000. Randolph-Macon Academy at Bedford City, officers and teachers, 10 ; students, 118 ; buildings, \$100,000. Randolph-Macon Academy at Front Royal, officers and teachers, 9 ; students, 109 ; buildings, \$105,000. Randolph-Macon Woman's College, officers and teachers, 12 ; students, 106 ; buildings and endowment, \$200,000. Wesleyan Female Institute, officers and teachers, 18 ; students, 108 ; property, \$60,000.

Ques. XXXIV. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held ?

Ans. Mount Vernon M. E. Church, South, Washington, D. C.

Ques. XXXV. Where are the Preachers stationed this year ?

Ans. See Appointments.

APPOINTMENTS.

The figures refer to the Year of Appointment.

Baltimore District.

J. S. HUTCHINSON, P. E. 1

Baltimore City:

Central—J. W. Duffey, 3
J. N. Hank, Sup'y.
St. Paul's } C. W. Cook, 2
 } A. R. Martin Sup'y. 2
Wilkins' ave. } L. W. Haslup, 2
Emmanuel—J. T. Wightman, 2
Frederick ave.—H. T. Wirgman, 1
Arlington—J. S. Engle, 1 *Day*
Reisterstown—J. H. Light, 3
Freedom—T. G. Nevitt, 1
R. L. Fultz, 2
Linganore—W. P. C. Coe, 1
E. H. Dashiell, 1
Frederick City—J. C. Hawk, 2
Brunswick—A. P. Boude, 1
Rockville—L. L. Lloyd, 4
J. H. Wilhite, 3
Gaithersburg—E. H. Henry, 4
Montgomery—J. H. Dulany, 1
C. P. Smith, 1
Beltsville—E. V. Regester, 2
Hyattsville—W. B. Dorsey, 1
Emory—F. H. Shipley, 3
Wesley Grove—W. E. Woolf, 1
Laurel—W. A. Sites, 1
Patuxent—W. L. Smith, 2
Upper Marlboro—J. H. Dills, 1
S. Rodgers, Editor Episcopal Meth.

East Baltimore District.

J. E. ARMSTRONG, P. E. 2 ✓

Baltimore City:

Trinity—F. R. Hill, 4 *Chapman*
Calvary—C. D. Harris, 1 ✓
North Baltimore—J. H. Wells, 2 ✓
Taylor's—W. Melville, *Dashiell* 2 ✓
West Harford—S. Townsend, 1 *and Sil*
East Harford—W. A. McDonald, 4 *Ut*
Kent—J. W. Mitchell, 2 ✓
Queen Anne's—J. H. Davidson, 1 ✓
Church Hill—J. Edgar Wilson, 1 ✓
Hillsboro'—T. J. Lambert, 2 ✓
Easton and Caroline—J. R. Andrew, 1 *Ell*
C. W. Moore, 1 *J. S. S.*
Trappe—F. M. Totten, 2 *M*
Royal Oak—C. K. Millican, 2 ✓
Severn—L. G. Martin, 3 ✓
Chesapeake—W. E. Miller, 1 ✓
West River—N. N. Hall, 1 ✓
Calvert—C. A. Joyce, 3 *H. H.*
H. M. Reed, 1 *W. L.*
Charles—J. C. Sedwick, 3 ✓
St. Mary's—A. B. Sites, 4 *W. S.*
Pr. George - Exp.

Washington District.

R. SMITHSON, P. E.

Washington City:

Mt. Vernon—I. W. Canter,

Epworth—J. C. Jones,

J. M. Boteler, Sup'y.

Marvin—W. S. Hammond.

Alexandria—T. E. Carson,

Falls' Church—J. T. Williams,

Fairfax—S. V. Hildebrand,

Drainsville—C. B. Sutton,

B. L. Parrott,

Leesburg—J. W. Grubb,

Hamilton—R. R. S. Hough,

Hillsboro'—W. H. Sanders,

J. M. Anderson,

Middleburg—H. I. Stephens,

Loudoun—G. T. Tyler.

W. D. Keene,

Marshall—H. M. Strickler,

L. H. Crenshaw,

Warrenton—J. L. Shipley,

Fauquier—S. B. Dolly,

Occoquan—C. E. Simmons,

Morrisville—J. L. Grant,

Sudley and Manassas—A. Weller,

W. O. Ross.

Stafford—L. Fox,

Fredericksburg—S. G. Ferguson,

Winchester District.

D. BUSH, P. E.

Winchester—W. H. D. Harper,

Frederick—F. Furr,

Stephen's City—J. R. Van Horne

Middletown—W. G. Eggleston,

Strasburg—H. L. Haut,

J. S. Hopkins, Sup'y.

Woodstock—J. P. Stump,

Edenburg—H. S. Coe.

Front Royal and Riverton—

S. K. Cox.

Warren—J. O. Tackett,

Linden—F. A. Gains,

Page—Q. A. Wheat,

White Post—S. R. Snapp,

2 Berryville—A. O. Armstrong,

J. J. Engle, Sup'y.

2 Brucetown—J. L. Kibler,

2 Darksville—J. H. Wolff,

2 Martinsburg—A. M. Cackley,

Berkeley—H. A. Gaver,

1 Charlestown—H. P. Hamill,

4 Jefferson—A. A. P. Neel,

2 Shepherdstown—F. A. Strother,

2 J. A. Kern, Professor in Randolph-

1 Macon College.

1 J. P. Hyde, President Valley Female

2 College.

2 B. W. Bond, Principal Randolph-Macon

1 Academy, Front Royal.

2 A. A. P. Neel, General Colporteur.

Rockingham District.

J. S. GARDNER, P. E.

2 Staunton—J. H. Boyd,

2 Harrisonburg—J. A. Anderson,

2 Bridgewater—L. R. Jones,

2 J. H. Smith,

Parnassus—T. Cooper,

Augusta—R. M. Wheeler,

West Augusta—A. C. McNeer,

Waynesboro and Basic City—

3 J. C. Thrasher,

3 New Hope—T. J. Miller,

4 Rockingham—T. Briley,

2 East Rockingham—C. L. Kennard,

2 Elkton—T. W. Brown,

1 Port Republic—J. K. Gilbert,

Shenandoah—L. Butt,

3 Luray—D. L. Reid,

3 New Market—F. E. Hammond,

Mt. Jackson—J. S. Porter,

1 Marksville—W. J. Whitesell,

1 Fairfield and Baths—J. W. Canter,

1 Bell's Valley—H. D. Bishop,

Roanoke District.

B. F. BALL, P. E.

Salem—H. H. Kennedy,

Roanoke :

Greene Memorial—W. F. Hamner,

Trinity—C. S. Stanton,

St. James—W. F. Locke,

Grace—G. T. D. Collins,

Roanoke Circuit—J. L. Henderson,

Vinton—C. H. Buchanan,

Elliston—W. H. H. Joyce,

Christiansburg—G. D. White,

Blacksburg—W. L. Dolly,

Newport—L. B. Atkins,

New Castle—P. S. E. Sixeas,

Catawba—H. A. Wilson,

Fincastle—J. D. Martin,

Amsterdam—A. Q. Flaherty,

Botetourt—S. M. Bowman,

James River—O. F. Burgess,

Lexington—F. J. Prettyman,

Buena Vista and Rockbridge—

P. H. Whisner,

L. H. Graybill,

E. L. Kregelo, Sup'y.

Collierstown—H. L. Myerly,

Collins Denny, Professor in Vanderbilt

University.

Lewisburg District.

W. G. HAMMOND, P. E.

Lewisburg—W. K. Marshall,

Frankford—G. O. Homan,

Blue Sulphur—H. M. Roane,

Greenville—J. J. Crickenberger,

Hinton—O. C. Beall,

Talcott—G. R. Mays,

Alderson—J. F. Baggs,

Clifton Forge—L. R. Markwood,

Alleghany—J. W. McNeil,

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Union—R. H. Wilson,

Alvon—J. T. Maxwell,

Covington—D. F. Eutsler,

Levelton—A. C. Hamill,

Hot Springs—W. T. Gover,

Green Bank—

To be supplied by C. L. Potter,

Millboro' and Shiloh—J. M. Eavey,

Gilletts—J. L. McNeer,

Huntersville—C. M. Sarver,

Moorefield District.

G. H. ZIMMERMAN, P. E.

Moorefield—H. A. Brown,

Petersburg—I. G. Michael,

Franklin—W. M. Waters,

Crab Bottom—C. W. Mark,

Keyser—J. O. Knott,

Elk Garden—Wm. Stevens,

Piedmont—W. J. Hubbard,

Frostburg—J. W. Beall,

Flintstone—L. Hammond,

Romney—C. Sydenstricker,

J. H. Schooley,

Springfield—S. A. Parker,

H. T. Heironimus,

Slanesville—J. H. Kuhlmann,

Hardy—Supplied by Wm. L. Reid,

Morgan—M. M. Long,

Gainsboro'—W. W. Watts,

One to be supplied by O. H. Cook.

Wardensville—H. H. Marsh,

Capon Bridge—C. H. Wood,

Listonburg—D. M. Brown,

Monterey—W. H. Woolf,

McDowell—J. M. Hawley,

TRANSFERS :R. H. Bennett, to Virginia Conference,
and stationed as junior preacher at
Centenary, Richmond.G. W. Moore, to South West Mis-
souri Conference.

OFFICERS, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES,

SESSION, MARCH 28—APRIL 4, 1894.

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REV. HENRY S. COE.

REV. WILLIAM M. WATERS.

REV. GEORGE H. ZIMMERMAN.

I.—Conference Board of Missions.

REV. THOS. E. CARSON, *President.*

REV. J. L. SHIPLEY, *Secretary.*

JAS. E. ALEXANDER, *Treasurer.*

Clerical :

Lay :

<i>Baltimore District</i>	—W. E. Woolf	.....	Charles Shipley.
<i>E. Baltimore</i>	“ F. R. Hill	.....	F. G. Maxwell.
<i>Washington</i>	“ T. E. Carson	.....	J. E. Alexander.
<i>Winchester</i>	“ A. O. Armstrong	.....	J. W. McCarty.
<i>Rockingham</i>	“ J. A. Anderson	.....	E. J. Armstrong.
<i>Roanoke</i>	“ J. S. Hutchinson	.....	J. H. H. Figgatt.
<i>Lewisburg</i>	“ D. F. Eutsler	.....	R. W. Hill.
<i>Moorefield</i>	“ W. F. Locke	.....	J. W. Thompson.

II.—Joint Board of Finance.

REV. J. H. BOYD, *President.*

J. P. HOUCK, *Secretary.*

J. W. NUMSEN, *Treasurer.*

Clerical :

Lay :

<i>Baltimore District</i>	—L. L. Lloyd	.....	J. W. Numsen.
<i>E. Baltimore</i>	“ C. A. Joyce	.....	J. T. Hutchins.
<i>Washington</i>	“ J. W. Grubb	.....	W. S. Embrey.
<i>Winchester</i>	“ H. P. Hamill	.....	E. D. Newman.
<i>Rockingham</i>	“ J. H. Boyd	.....	J. P. Houck.
<i>Roanoke</i>	“ J. D. Martin	.....	T. T. Fishburne.
<i>Lewisburg</i>	“ C. Sydenstricker	.....	A. E. Huddleston.
<i>Moorefield</i>	“ H. A. Brown	.....	J. C. Matheeny.

III.—Board of Education.REV. H. H. KENNEDY, *President.*REV. W. H. BALLANGEE, *Secretary.**Clerical :**Lay :*

<i>Baltimore District</i> —	H. H. Kennedy.....	Chas. F. Diggs.
<i>E. Baltimore</i> “	Wm. Melville.....	E. B. Prettyman.
<i>Washington</i> “	I. W. Canter.....	G. R. Hill.
<i>Winchester</i> “	J. A. Kern.....	M. L. Walton.
<i>Rockingham</i> “	L. R. Jones.....	W. W. Robertson.
<i>Roanoke</i> “	W. F. Hamner.....	W. H. Shuff.
<i>Lewisburg</i> “	W. H. Ballangee.....	L. J. Williams.
<i>Moorefield</i> “	S. Townsend	J. A. Robinson.

IV.—Sunday School Board.REV. J. H. LIGHT, *President.*REV. J. W. GRUBB, *Secretary.*GEORGE J. CUNNINGHAM, *Treasurer.**Clerical :**Lay :*

<i>Baltimore District</i> —	I. H. Light.....	R. Magruder.
<i>E. Baltimore</i> “	C. D. Harris	H. S. Dulany.
<i>Washington</i> “	J. W. Grubb.....	W. H. Thomas.
<i>Winchester</i> “	F. Furr.....	Geo. J. Cunningham.
<i>Rockingham</i> “	T. Cooper.....	E. J. Armstrong.
<i>Roanoke</i> “	G. D. White.	G. L. Stevens.
<i>Lewisburg</i> “	W. K. Marshall.....	J. M. McWhorter.
<i>Moorefield</i> “	S. A. Parker.....	S. M. Atkins.

V.—Board of Church Extension.REV. S. K. COX, *President.*W. W. ROBERTSON, *Secretary.*P. V. D. CONWAY, *Treasurer.**Clerical :**Lay :*

<i>Baltimore District</i> —	C. W. Cook.....	J. W. Shipley.
<i>E. Baltimore</i> “	J. R. Andrew.....	N. E. Nicols.
<i>Washington</i> “	R. R. S. Hough.....	P. V. D. Conway.
<i>Winchester</i> “	S. K. Cox.....	H. T. Miley.
<i>Rockingham</i> “	J. C. Thrasher.....	W. W. Robertson.
<i>Roanoke</i> “	W. B. Dorsey.....	J. B. Buhrman.
<i>Lewisburg</i> “	R. H. Wilson.....	A. E. Huddleston.
<i>Moorefield</i> “	D. L. Reid.	J. A. Robinson.

VI.—Board of Colportage.REV. G. H. ZIMMERMAN, *President.*REV. F. A. STROTHER, *Secretary.**Clerical :**Lay :*

<i>Baltimore District</i> —	G. H. Zimmerman.....	J. F. Poole.
<i>E. Baltimore</i> “	W. A. McDonald.....	F. G. Maxwell.
<i>Washington</i> “	J. C. Jones.....	A. L. Johnson.
<i>Winchester</i> “	F. A. Strother.....	J. W. McCarty.
<i>Rockingham</i> “	L. Butt.	E. J. Armstrong.
<i>Roanoke</i> “	C. H. Buchanan.....	J. H. H. Figgatt.
<i>Lewisburg</i> “	G. O. Homan.	R. W. Hill.
<i>Moorefield</i> “	M. M Long.....	F. Barnard.

COMMITTEES.**On Conference Relations.**

J. H. Dulany, S. B. Dolly, T. G. Nevitt, J. L. Kibler, Jas. S. Porter,
O. F. Burgess, O. C. Beall, W. A. Sites.

On Memoirs.

H. H. Kennedy, F. T. Griffith, J. T. Williams, W. H. D. Harper,
J. S. Porter, W. L. Dolly, O. C. Beall, J. M. Hawley.

Of Examination.*Admission on trial:*

J. S. Hutchinson, H. S. Coe, L. L. Lloyd.
1st Year—T. G. Nevitt, W. L. Dolly, J. O. Knott.
2d Year—H. P. Hamill, F. J. Prettyman, G. D. White.
3d Year—L. R. Jones, D. F. Eutsler, J. T. Williams.
4th Year—A. M. Cackley, G. H. Zimmerman, H. A. Brown.

On Publishing Interests.*Clerical:**Lay:*

Baltimore District—W. P. C. Coe..... C. F. Diggs.
E. Baltimore " F. R. Hill..... J. E. Eggleston.
Washington " B. F. Ball..... A. L. Johnson.
Winchester " W. W. Watts..... H. T. Miley.
Rockingham " T. W. Brown..... E. J. Armstrong.
Roanoke " Collins Denny..... W. H. Shuff.
Lewisburg " J. F. Baggs..... M. L. Woodzell.
Moorefield " J. O. Knott.. J. W. Thompson.

On Temperance.*Clerical:**Lay:*

Baltimore District—J. T. Wightman..... R. Magruder.
E. Baltimore " L. G. Martin..... J. E. Eggleston.
Washington " Wm. O. Ross..... H. M. Woolf.
Winchester " B. W. Bond..... G. J. Cunningham.
Rockingham " J. K. Gilbert..... J. P. Houck.
Roanoke " W. L. Dolly..... G. L. Stevens.
Lewisburg " C. Sydenstricker..... L. J. Williams.
Moorefield " L. R. Markwood..... J. A. Robinson.

On District Conference Records.

H. M. Strickler, F. T. Griffith, A. Weller,
H. A. Gaver, R. M. Wheeler, C. S. Stanton,
H. M. Roane, J. W. Beall.

On Memorials to the General Conference.

J. W. Duffey, C. A. Joyce, S. G. Ferguson, W. H. D. Harper, J. H. Boyd,
Collins Denny, J. H. Davidson, C. W. Mark.

On Bible Cause.

L. H. Graybill, T. J. Miller, W. E. Miller.

On Public Worship.

R. Smithson, S. G. Ferguson, P. V. D. Conway.

On Publication of Conference Minutes.

J. E. Armstrong, G. T. Tyler, A. R. Martin.

To Nominate the Place of Conference, Session 1895.

J. T. Wightman, C. H. Buchanan, J. P. Hyde, E. B. Prettyman.

On Paine and Lane Institutes.

E. H. Henry, C. L. Kennard, H. P. Hamill.

On the Case of C. M. Bragg.

James T. Williams, *Chairman.*

L. L. Lloyd,	W. Melville,	J. R. Van Horne,
R. M. Wheeler,	O. F. Burgess,	R. H. Wilson,
S. Townsend,	T. E. Carson,	J. L. Kibler.

Of Investigation in the Case of V. W. Wheeler.

J. W. Duffey, R. R. S. Hough, A. O. Armstrong.

On Collections.*Clerical :*

G. H. Zimmerman,
H. P. Hamill,
G. T. D. Collins,

Lay :

C. F. Diggs,
E. J. Armstrong,
L. J. Williams.

To Canvass for Conference Minutes.

W. B. Dorsey, T. F. Locke.

To Receive and Distribute Letters.

C. S. Stanton.

Railroad Ticket Agent.

J. P. Hyde.

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Lay }*

APPOINTED AT THE

Close of Conference

For 1894-5.

Joint Board of Finance.

Clerical :

Lay :

<i>Baltimore District</i>	—L. L. Lloyd	J. W. Numsen.
<i>E. Baltimore</i>	" C. A. Joyce.....	J. T. Hutchins.
<i>Washington</i>	" J. W. Grubb... ..	W. S. Embrey.
<i>Winchester</i>	" H. P. Hamill	E. D. Newman.
<i>Rockingham</i>	" J. H. Boyd.....	J. P. Houck.
<i>Roanoke</i>	" J. D. Martin.....	T. T. Fishburne.
<i>Lewisburg</i>	" W. K. Marshall	A. E. Huddleston.
<i>Moorefield</i>	" H. A. Brown.....	H. H. Jones.

Visiting Committees.

Randolph-Macon College.

W. F. Hamner, G. T. Tyler, C. F. Diggs.

Wesleyan Female Institute.

R. H. Wilson, T. W. Brown, J. J. Hiner.

Valley Female College.

H. P. Hamill, A. O. Armstrong, H. S. Coe.

To Preach the Opening Sermon.

S. K. Cox. *Alternate :* W. Melville.

Kennedy

Lloyd

Committee on Memoirs.

J. T. Wightman,	J. T. Williams,	J. S. Porter,	O. C. Beall,
F. T. Griffith,	W. H. D. Harper,	W. L. Dolly,	J. M. Hawley.

JOURNAL OF DAILY PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY.

WEDNESDAY, March 28, 1894.

THE BALTIMORE ANNUAL CONFERENCE of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, commenced its ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH Session in the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Fredericksburg, Va., Wednesday morning, March 28, 1894, at 9 o'clock.

Rev. Bishop JOHN C. GRANBERY, D. D., President of the Conference, in the chair.

The Bishop read from the Scriptures, 1 Cor., chapter xiii.

Hymn 228—

"And are we yet alive,"

was sung by the Conference.

Roll called.—The Secretary of the last Conference, Rev. J. E. Armstrong, by request of the President, called the roll of clerical members and also that of lay representatives.

One hundred and forty-five clerical and twenty-one lay representatives responded to the call of their names.

Secretary elected.—Upon nomination, James E. Armstrong was re-elected Secretary. The Secretary was, on motion, granted the privilege of nominating his assistants, and

George T. Tyler, Asbury R. Martin, James P. Stump, Henry S. Coe and William M. Waters were elected Assistant Secretaries.

Bar.—Conference fixed the bar of the Conference with a line running from the centre of the third double window.

The hour for meeting was fixed at 9.30 A. M. and for adjournment, 12.30 P. M.

On motion, Boards and Committees were, upon nomination by the Presiding Elders, constituted of one clerical and one lay member from each district. (See pages 10, 11, 12 and 13.)

Visitors were introduced—Brother D. M. Smith, Book Agent, Nashville, Tenn.; Brother T. B. Holt, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, Nashville, Tenn.; Rev. G. G. Smith, D. D., of Georgia Conference; Rev. A. G. Brown, D. D., Virginia Conference.

On motion, C. D. Harris was appointed to collect moneys for the Missionary Board.

The report from the Publishing House at Nashville was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Publishing Interests.

W. G. Hammond presented a paper, which was referred to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference.

The report from the Sunday School Board, Rev. W. G. E. Cunningham, Secretary, at Nashville, was presented, read and referred to the Sunday School Board.

A report from Paine Institute, signed by G. Williams Walker, and a paper from Bishop Isaac Lane, of the Colored Methodist Episcopal Church, relating to Lane Institute, were presented and read, and, on motion, they were referred to a special committee appointed by the Conference, as follows: E. H. Henry, C. L. Kennard, H. P. Hamill.

The Report of the Board of Church Extension, at Louisville, Ky., was presented and read. Rev. David Morton, D. D., addressed the Conference. The Report of the Board of Church Extension was referred to the Conference Board.

Dr. Morton presented a message from an aged member of the Kentucky Conference, Rev. Thomas Bottomly, formerly a member of the Baltimore Conference, containing a quotation from Deut. 1:11, "The Lord God of your fathers make you a thousand times so many as you are and bless you as he hath promised you."

On motion, the Secretary was requested to return the greetings of this Conference to the message of our venerable brother.

Question Twenty of the General Minutes was called, viz: *Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?*

The characters of Francis M. Mills, David Thomas, Nelson Head, J. Hoffman Waugh, John W. Tongue, Joshua M. Grandin, John W. Wolf, Robert Smith, Charles G. Linthicum, James M. Follansbee, Joseph H. Temple, Francis A. Mercer, Aaron Boon, William Hedges, Mabury G. Balthis, Charles L. Dameron, Wesley Hammond, Robert Ross, Hamilton Kinzer, were examined and passed.

Brothers Nelson Head, Joshua M. Grandin, John W. Tongue and Robert Smith severally addressed the Conference.

On motion, the names of the brethren called were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuated relation.

The characters of J. Newman Hank, John W. Boteler, Joseph J. Engle, and Asbury R. Martin were examined and passed, and, on motion, their names were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Supernumerary relation.

The character of William K. Boyle was examined and passed, and, on motion, his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuated relation.

The characters of Samuel K. Cox, Adam P. Boude and Larkin H. Crenshaw were examined and passed.

The Presiding Elders, Samuel Rodgers, of the Baltimore District, James E. Armstrong, of the East Baltimore District, Rumsey Smithson, of the Washington District, David Bush, of the Winchester District, James S. Gardner, of the Rockingham District, Peter H. Whisner, of the Roanoke District, William G. Hammond, of the Lewisburg District, and George T. Tyler, of the Moorefield District, represented the condition of their Districts, and their characters were severally examined and passed.

Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the Benediction by Bishop Granbery, to meet to-morrow at 9:30 A. M.

SECOND DAY.

THURSDAY MORNING, March 29, 1894.

Conference met at the appointed hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by J. W. Duffey.

The Roll was called and ten clerical and seven lay members answered to their names, in addition to those of yesterday.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

The following was presented by the Secretary, as having been sent to day, by mail, to Rev. Thomas Bottomly, of Hopkinsville, Kentucky:

VENERABLE AND DEAR BROTHER:—The Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church, South, requests me to return to you cordial greeting in response to your kind message and earnest prayer. She holds in affectionate and grateful remembrance those who stood with her in the early days of her history, and whose labors contributed so largely to her present success and prosperity. We rejoice to hear that you are still in the Church of God on earth, to bless her with your presence, your counsels and your holy life. "Now our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God even our Father, which hath loved us and hath given us everlasting consolation and good hope through grace, comfort you heart and stablish you in every good word and work." 2 Thess. ii: 16, 17.

Your brother in Christ,

J. E. ARMSTRONG, *Secretary*.

Woman's Missionary Society—Report from the Woman's Missionary Society, of the Baltimore Conference, signed by Mrs. Alice H. Strother, Corresponding Secretary, and by Miss Virginia C. Massie, Treasurer, was presented and read.

A communication from the Christian Endeavor Society, signed by William C. Perkins, was presented and read, and, on motion, it was referred to the Sunday School Board.

A letter from F. M. Mills, Neosho, Mo., was presented and read.

Rev. G. Wesley Moore, from the South West Missouri Conference, Rev T. S. Dunnaway, D. D., Pastor of the Baptist Church, and Rev. A. P. Sanders, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church, in this city, Revs. J. J. Lafferty, Riddick, Paine, Rowe and Tucker, of the Virginia Conference, Dr. W. W. Smith, President of Randolph-Macon College, T. Masao, from Japan, were severally introduced.

On the Sunday School Board, J. M. McWhorter was substituted for M. L. Woodzell, and T. J. Smithers in place of E. D. Preston.

Question Six of the General Minutes—*Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?*

The Bishop announced the transfer of G. Wesley Moore from the South West Missouri Conference.

The following preamble and resolution were presented and read, and, on motion, they were adopted :

Whereas, The appeals for money at sessions of our Conference have become so numerous and urgent as to be a burden; and *whereas*, the money contributed in response to these appeals is given largely by preachers and laymen who have already given liberally at their homes; therefore,

Resolved, That a Committee of three preachers and three laymen be appointed, who shall consider and report on the merits of every cause for which a collection is desired; and that no collection be taken without the recommendation of said Committee.

J. M. HAWLEY,
DAVID BUSH,
J. H. BOYD,
RUMSEY SMITHSON.

The report from Wesleyan Female Institute, signed by W. W. Robertson, President, was presented, read, and referred to the Board of Education.

Question Twenty—*Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?*

The name of Charles M. Bragg was called. His Presiding Elder, J. E. Armstrong, stated that Charles M. Bragg had, in the interval of Conference, been tried and suspended on the charge of immorality. The Bishop appointed a committee of nine traveling Elders, together with the chairman, to whom the case was referred for trial, as follows :

Chairman, J. T. Williams; L. L. Lloyd, W. Melville, J. R. Van Horne, R. M. Wheeler. O. F. Burgess, R. H. Wilson, S. Townsend, T. E. Carson, J. L. Kibler.

On nomination by the Secretary of the Conference, G. H. Zimmerman was elected Assistant Secretary, and he was appointed to keep the record of the trial of C. M. Bragg.

The name of Vincent W. Wheeler was called. His Presiding Elder, W. G. Hammond, reported that the Committee of Investigation, ordered at the last session of the Annual Conference in the case of V. W. Wheeler, had met at Clifton Forge, May 10, 1893, and that, after an investigation was had, he was

acquitted. He also stated that subsequent developments had, in his judgment, rendered another investigation necessary.

On motion, the President of the Conference appointed three traveling Elders, to whom the accusation was referred for investigation, as follows:

J. W. Duffey, R. R. S. Hough, A. O. Armstrong.

Question First of the General Minutes was called, viz: *Who are admitted on trial?*

The recommendations of Eldridge Veitch Regester, from Beltsville Circuit Quarterly Conference, James Merryman Anderson, from Emmanuel Station Quarterly Conference, Edward H. Dashiell, from Central Station Quarterly Conference, Baltimore District, John Henderson Dills, from West River Quarterly Conference, Charles Washington Moore, from North Baltimore Station, East Baltimore District, Daniel Mason Brown, from Martinsburg Station Quarterly Conference, Frederick Alexander Gains, from Winchester Station Quarterly Conference, Winchester District, Levi Burrell Atkins, from Newport Circuit Quarterly Conference, Roanoke District, Jesse Lee McNeer, from Gillett's Circuit Quarterly Conference, Lewisburg District, Courtland Prentice Smith, from Hardy's Circuit Quarterly Conference, William Stevens, from Romney Circuit Quarterly Conference, Moorefield District, were presented in due form, and having passed in examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, they were severally admitted on trial.

On motion, the selection of the place for the next session of the Conference was made the order of the day for Saturday next, at 11 o'clock.

On motion the election of delegates to the General Conference was made the order of the day for Monday next, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

Dr. W. W. Smith presented an invitation to the Conference to visit Randolph-Macon College, at Ashland, on Monday afternoon next.

The invitation was, on motion, accepted.

A letter from Mr. Robert L. Coffman, Mount Jackson, Va., offering to take a photograph of the Conference, was presented and read.

Conference instructed the Secretary to reply, declining the invitation on account of inconvenience.

Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by the Bishop, to meet to-morrow morning at 9:30.

THIRD DAY.

FRIDAY MORNING, March 30, 1894.

Conference met at the appointed hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by J. W. Grubb.

The Roll was called of members absent during the previous sessions. John W. Shipley and Levi B. Atkins, lay representatives, responded to the call of their names.

On motion, the call of the roll after to day was suspended.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

The Report of the visitors to the Valley Female College was presented, read and referred to the Board of Education.

The following resolutions were presented, read, and referred to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference to so change the law as to provide for the examination before committee, instead of in open Conference, into the character and adaptation to the work of the Itinerant Ministry, of applications for admission on trial and probationers in the Conference, so as to avoid so far as practicable the public discussion of the character of our young preachers.

I. W. CANTER,
P. H. WHISNER,
J. S. HUTCHINSON.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference to enact a law authorizing unordained preachers in charge to celebrate the rite of marriage and to baptize.

P. H. WHISNER,
I. W. CANTER,
J. S. HUTCHINSON.

Whereas, The law of the Church, limiting the number of charges in each Presiding Elder's District to twenty, often causes serious embarrassment and difficulty in arranging and adjusting the work; and whereas the work of the Church, especially in the border Conferences, is constantly expanding by addition of new territory, which must necessarily be attached to some district already existing; therefore,

Resolved by the Baltimore Annual Conference, in Conference assembled, that we memorialize the General Conference so to change the law as to allow the Bishop and his council, when they deem it necessary to the interest and growth of the work in border Conferences, to place any number of charges, not exceeding twenty-five, in any Presiding Elder's district.

J. M. HAWLEY,
ISAAC W. CANTER,
L. L. LLOYD.

L. B. Atkins was substituted as a lay representative in place of W. H. Shuff, from the Roanoke District

George J. Cunningham was announced as the Treasurer of the Sunday School Board, to receive moneys for needy Sunday Schools.

The following report was presented and read:

The Committee of Trial in the case of Charles M. Bragg respectfully report that the report of the Committee of Investigation is *sustained*, and that Charles M. Bragg is expelled from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

J. T. WILLIAMS, *Chairman*,
GEORGE H. ZIMMERMAN, *Secretary*.

Fredericksburg, Va., March 29, 1894.

Whereupon Bishop Granbery pronounced sentence of expulsion upon Charles M. Bragg.

Question Second of the General Minutes was called, viz: *Who remain on trial?*

The characters of William D. Keene, B. Lee Parrott, Harrah M. Reed, James Henry Smith, William J. Whitesell, Henry A. Wilson, and Homer T. Hieronimus were examined and passed, and having also passed in examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, they were, on motion, continued on trial.

The character of Linwood Hammond was examined and passed, but as he was not before the Committee on the Course of Study, he was continued on trial in the class of the first year.

Question Three—*Who are discontinued?*

The characters of John T. Kestler, Josiah J. Ringer, and Sidney J. Sarver were examined and passed, and, on motion, they were discontinued at their own request.

Collections—The President announced the Committee on Collections, as follows:

G. H. Zimmerman, H. P. Hamill, G. T. D. Collins, Charles F. Diggs, E. J. Armstrong, and L. J. Williams.

Question Eight of the General Minutes. *Who are elected deacons?*

The characters of William S. Hammond, John H. Schooley and Henry L. Hout were examined and passed, and having also passed in examination before the Committee of Examination on the Course of Study, on motion, they were severally elected deacons.

The character of John W. McNeil, already a deacon, was examined and passed. He also passed in examination before the Committee of Examination on the Course of Study.

Question Seven of the General Minutes. *Who are the deacons of one year?*

The characters of Alfred B. Sites, William H. Marsh, Robert L. Fultz, Charles M. Sarver, John C. Hawk, Archibald C. Hamill, James H. Wells, were examined and passed, and having also passed in examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, they were advanced to the class of the fourth year.

The character of John L. Grant was examined and passed, but as he was not before the Committee on the Course of Study, he was continued in the class of the third year.

Twelfth Question—*What traveling preachers are elected Elders?*

The characters of Jacob M. Eavey, William L. Smith, Samuel M. Bowman, John W. Beall, William T. Gover, William H. H. Joyce, John S. Engle, Isaac G. Michael, John H. Wilhite, were examined and passed, and having also passed in examination before the Committee on the Course of Study, on motion, they were severally elected to elders' orders.

Rev. H. C. Morrison, D. D., one of the secretaries of the Board of Missions at Nashville, Tenn., was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Rev. Dr. Campbell, of the Presbyterian Church, agent of the Virginia State Bible Society, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Question Five of the General Minutes. *Who are re-admitted?*

J. Edgar Wilson, recommended by the Quarterly Conference of North Baltimore Station, East Baltimore District; Walter J. Hubbard, recommended by Greene Memorial Station Quarterly Conference, Roanoke District, were, on motion, severally re-admitted into the traveling connection.

Question Six—*Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?*

Richard H. Bennett, from Virginia Conference.

The Report of the Board of Education was, on motion, made the order of the day for Saturday, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by Bishop Granbery, to meet to-morrow morning at 9:30.

FOURTH DAY.

SATURDAY MORNING, March 31, 1894.

Conference met at the appointed hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by C. Sydenstricker.

The Journal of yesterday was read and approved.

Report No. 1 of the Board of Education was presented and read.

Dr. W. W. Smith, President of Randolph-Macon College, addressed the Conference.

On motion, that part of the report recommending the assessment of \$2,000 for Randolph-Macon College, was laid on the table.

The Report was, on motion, adopted.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Education was made the order of the day for Monday, immediately after the election of delegates to the General Conference.

The Committee of Investigation, in the case of V. W. Wheeler, presented their report, and it was read, as follows:

The Committee of Investigation, in the case of V. W. Wheeler, having examined the facts in the case, report that a trial is not necessary.

J. W. DUFFEY,

R. R. S. HOUGH,

A. O. ARMSTRONG.

V. W. Wheeler announced his withdrawal from the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and, accordingly, his name was entered on the roll as withdrawn.

The following resolutions were presented and read, and, on motion, they were adopted:

Resolved, That we learn with regret that our esteemed brother, Rev. James S. Gardner, D. D., has been suddenly called home by sad tidings; that we hereby express our sincere sympathy with our brother in this time of anxiety

and trial, and pray that the Father of our mercies, and God of all comfort, may deal graciously with him and his afflicted companion, together with the son, our brother, Q. A. Wheat.

That the Secretary of the Conference transmit these resolutions to Dr. Gardner.

SAMUEL K. COX,	SAMUEL RODGERS,
J. E. ARMSTRONG,	J. L. SHIPLEY,
S. V. HILDEBRAND,	F. R. HILL,
J. S. HUTCHINSON,	P. H. WHISNER,
GEO. T. TYLER,	DAVID BUSH.

On motion, Monday night was fixed as the time for holding memorial services in relation to our deceased brethren.

The report of the Committee on Paine and Lane Institutes was presented and read.

Rev. G. G. Smith, D. D., addressed the Conference.

On motion, the report was adopted.

Question Ten of the General Minutes. *What local preachers are elected deacons?*

The recommendations of John H. Dills, from the Quarterly Conference of West River Circuit; William C. Sherlock, from the Quarterly Conference of Trinity Station, East Baltimore District; Harrah M. Reed, from the Quarterly Conference of Dranesville Circuit; William D. Keene, from the Quarterly Conference of Loudoun Circuit, Washington District; William Stevens, from the Quarterly Conference of Romney Circuit, Moorefield District; were presented in proper form, and they were severally elected deacons.

On motion, the order of the day, fixing the place for holding the next session of the Conference, was suspended.

Question Fourteen — *What local preachers are elected elders?*

The recommendation of Charles L. Potter, from the Quarterly Conference of Greenbank Circuit, Lewisburg District, was presented in proper form, and after presentation of a written certificate of his belief in the doctrines and discipline of the M. E. Church, South, on motion, he was elected to elders' orders.

Question Four — *Who are admitted into full connection?*

John H. Schooley, Henry L. Hout, William S. Hammond, John W. McNeil, having previously passed in examination of character, and also before the Committee on the Course of Study, and after godly admonition by the Bishop, and answering the questions prescribed by the discipline, they were, on motion, admitted into full connection.

H. S. Dulany was substituted on the Sunday School Board in place of T. J. Smithers, and W. A. Sites on the Committee on Conference Relations in place of C. H. Wood.

Question Thirty-four. *Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?*

The Committee on Conference Entertainment reported having received invitations from the following places: Mount Vernon, Washington, D. C.

Baltimore, to be held at Calvary Station; Roanoke, Va.; Salem, Va.; and Charlestown, W. Va.

The vote having been taken, Mount Vernon, Washington, D. C., was unanimously selected as the place for holding the next session of the Conference.

The Secretary was instructed to return the thanks of this Conference, through their pastors, to those churches who have so hospitably and cordially invited us to accept entertainment by them at our next session.

Rev. W. A. Crocker was introduced and addressed the Conference in relation to several works he has published

The following memorial to the General Conference, concerning the appointment of young preachers to school, was presented, read and referred to the Committee on Memorials:

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference so to amend the law of the Church as framed in Paragraph 98, Question 2, of the Discipline, that, with the concurrence of the Conference, upon the recommendation of the Board of Education, the Bishop shall appoint to an institution of learning, under the control of our Church, such members of an Annual Conference as shall desire to avail themselves of further educational advantages; provided, that such appointment shall not affect our present existing law requiring the completion of probation and the course of study prescribed by the Discipline.

J. M. HAWLEY,	RUMSEY SMITHSON,
COLLINS DENNY,	G. H. ZIMMERMAN,
C. H. BUCHANAN,	J. O. KNOTT,
G. T. TYLER,	J. A. KERN,

Rev. T. Masao, of Japan, now on his way as missionary to his countrymen, made a fervent appeal to the Conference. A collection was taken in his behalf, amounting to \$150.

Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology and with the benediction by Bishop Granbery, to meet on Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

FIFTH DAY.

MONDAY MORNING, April 2, 1894.

Conference met according to appointment.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious exercises were conducted by J. S. Hutchinson.

The Journal of Saturday was read and approved.

A telegram from our brother, J. S. Gardner, announcing the death of his wife, was read to the Conference.

On motion, the sympathy of the Conference was extended to Brothers Gardner and Wheat in their sore bereavement, and J. H. Boyd and T. E. Carson were appointed to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gardner, in Alexandria, Va., to-morrow.

Bishop Granbery presented the following certificate, answering :

Question Nine— *What traveling preachers are ordained deacons ?*

Question Eleven— *What local preachers are ordained deacons ?*

Question Thirteen— *What traveling preachers are ordained elders ?*

Question Fifteen— *What local preachers are ordained elders ?*

On Sunday morning, after sermon in this church, I ordained to the office of deacon the following traveling preachers: William S. Hammond, John H. Schooley, Henry L. Hout; also the following local preachers: John H. Dills, William C. Sherlock, Harrah M. Reed, William D. Keene and William Stevens.

At night, after sermon in the same church, with the assistance of S. Rodgers, N. Head, William G. Eggleston and R. R. S. Hough, I ordained to the office of elder the following traveling preachers: Jacob M. Eavey, William L. Smith, Samuel M. Bowman, John W. Beall, William T. Gover, John S. Engle and John H. Wilhite; also Charles L. Potter, a local preacher.

J. C. GRANBERY.

Conference proceeded to the order of the day, viz., the election of delegates to the next General Conference.

The President announced that under the law of the Discipline the Conference was entitled to six clerical and six lay delegates.

The clerical members of the Conference occupied the middle and western tiers of pews in the church, apart from the lay members. The lay members were seated in the eastern corner of the church, apart from the clerical members.

W. L. Dolly and S. V. Hildebrand were appointed tellers to collect the ballots of clerical members, and M. L. Walton and R. Magruder to collect the ballots of lay members of the Conference.

G. T. Tyler was appointed Secretary to count the clerical vote and G. H. Zimmerman Secretary to count the lay vote.

On motion, the Secretaries and Tellers were permitted to retire after the votes were cast to count the ballots.

On motion, I. G. Michael, having been obliged to leave the Conference, was permitted to deposit his sealed ballot.

The clerical and lay members deposited their ballots and the Secretaries and Tellers retired to count them.

Question Fifteen— *What local preachers are ordained Elders ?*

The application of Henry T. Wirgman, an ordained Elder in the Reformed Episcopal Church, for admission into full connection into the Conference, was presented.

The Conference having been satisfied with the gifts, grace and usefulness of Henry T. Wirgman, and after examination by the Bishop before the Conference, as to his agreement with us in doctrines and Discipline, and having taken upon himself our ordination vows, and having also answered the questions required by the Discipline of those recommended for admission into full connection, he was, on motion, admitted into full connection as an Elder, according to the provisions of the Discipline, Paragraph 82, Answer 3.

The Secretary for the lay members, G. H. Zimmerman, reported the votes for lay delegates to the General Conference, as follows:

Number of ballots cast, 29.

Necessary to a choice, 15.

Robert Magruder received 27; M. L. Walton, 25; J. A. Robinson, 22; J. P. Houck, 14; George R. Hill, 15; A. L. Johnson, 9; L. J. Williams, 6; W. W. Robertson, 5; P. V. D. Conway, 4; T. T. Fishburne, 5; E. J. Armstrong, 3; J. H. H. Figgatt, 2; J. T. Hutchins, 2; scattering, 16.

Whereupon it was declared by the President that—

Robert Magruder, M. Lauck Walton, John A. Robinson, George L. Stevens and George R. Hill, having received a majority of the votes cast, they were severally elected lay representatives to the next General Conference.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Education, referring to Wesleyan Female Institute, was presented and read.

Professor Robertson and J. H. Boyd addressed the Conference.

On motion, that part of the Report providing for a collection to be taken up in the bounds of the Conference during the month of May, was stricken out.

The report was, on motion, adopted.

The Secretary for the lay members reported two ballots taken by the lay representatives for delegates to the General Conference, resulting in no choice.

The fourth ballot was reported by the Secretary for the lay delegates as follows:

J. P. Houck, 15; L. J. Williams, 7; M. L. Jarrett, 2; scattering, 4.

Whereupon the President announced that J. P. Houck, having received a majority of the votes cast, was elected a lay representative to the next General Conference.

The lay members of the Conference proceeded to elect Reserve Delegates to the General Conference.

On motion it was determined that the six members receiving the highest number of votes be declared Reserve Delegates.

G. T. Tyler, Secretary for the clerical members, reported the votes for Clerical Delegates to the General Conference on the first ballot, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast, 158.

Necessary to a choice, 80.

R. Smithson received 113; C. Denny, 109; S. Rodgers, 79; D. Bush, 78; J. A. Kern, 77; P. H. Whisner, 67; B. W. Bond, 45; J. E. Armstrong, 41; I. W. Canter, 38; J. S. Gardner, 27; J. S. Hutchinson, 25; W. H. D. Harper, 24; F. R. Hill, 22; S. G. Ferguson, 20; J. H. Boyd, 20; R. R. S. Hough, 13; H. P. Hamill, 12; W. G. Hammond, 11; G. H. Zimmerman, 11; J. P. Hyde, 10; T. G. Nevitt, 10; J. W. Duffey, 9; S. K. Cox, 8; B. F. Ball, 8; T. E. Carson, 7; H. H. Kennedy, 6; W. F. Hamner, 4; J. T. Williams, 3; N. Head, 3; scattering, 15

Whereupon the President declared that Rumsey Smithson and Collins Denny, having received a majority of the votes cast, they were elected clerical delegates to the next General Conference.

The votes of the lay members for reserve delegates were reported by the Secretary, as follows:

A. L. Johnson, 22; L. J. Williams, 18; J. H. H. Figgatt, 14; E. J. Armstrong, 12; J. T. Hutchins, 11; H. H. Jones, 11; Alday Clements, 9; T. T. Fishburne, 9; A. E. Huddleston, 6; W. W. Robertson, 6; R. V. Hill, 6; scattering, 31.

Whereupon, the President announced that A. L. Johnson, L. J. Williams, J. H. H. Figgatt, E. J. Armstrong, J. T. Hutchins and H. H. Jones, having received the highest number of votes, they were elected as reserve lay representatives, to the next General Conference.

Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by the Bishop, to meet this evening at 8 o'clock.

FIFTH DAY.

MONDAY EVENING, April 2, 1894.

Conference met at the appointed hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by W. H. D. Harper.

Question Nineteen—*What preachers have died during the past year?*

The President appropriately introduced the memorial service appointed for this evening's session.

The chairman of the Committee on Memoirs, Rev. W. H. D. Harper, presented the memoirs of our five brethren deceased during the past year, viz: George Stevenson, William A. Wade, Samuel W. Haddaway, William W. Hedrick, Charles M. Brown.

The memoirs were read, of George Stevenson, by H. H. Kennedy; of William A. Wade, by J. T. Williams; of Samuel W. Haddaway, by A. Davisson; of William W. Hedrick, by William L. Dolly; of Charles M. Brown, by W. H. D. Harper.

S. K. Cox, C. H. Buchanan and John W. Beall spoke with reference to the character and life of our brother, C. M. Brown; P. H. Whisner and T. T. Fishburne to the estimable qualities of our brother, W. W. Hedrick; R. Smithson bore testimony to the ability and faithful services of our brother, Samuel W. Haddaway; P. H. Whisner, I. W. Canter and J. M. Grandin referred to the high character and pure life of our brother, William A. Wade; J. E. Armstrong and F. A. Strother, to the long and useful life of our brother, George Stevenson.

Conference united in singing—

“Oh, how sweet it will be in that beautiful land,
So free from all sorrow and pain,
With songs on our lips and with harps in our hands,
To meet one another again.”

On motion, the report of the Committee on Memoirs was adopted.

Conference determined that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet to-morrow morning at nine o'clock.

Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by Bishop Granbery.

SIXTH DAY.

TUESDAY MORNING, April 3, 1894.

Conference met at the appointed hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by D. Bush.

The Journal of yesterday morning and last night was read and approved.

The following preamble and resolutions were presented and read, and, on motion, they were adopted, viz:

Whereas, In order to the continuance of our work at Brunswick, Maryland, it will be necessary for us to build a house of worship that will cost from \$2,500 to \$3,000; and, *whereas*, the financial condition of the people at Brunswick is such that it is impossible for them to raise more than 20 per cent. of that amount; and, *whereas*, the numerous and urgent demands upon our Boards of Church Extension make it impossible for them to give us the amount necessary to complete the work; therefore,

Resolved, That the preacher who may be appointed in charge of our work at Brunswick should visit such charges within the bounds of this Conference as are able to help us in this matter and solicit aid for this enterprise.

Resolved, That we will give the said preacher our hearty sympathy and such co-operation as we can during his visits to our respective charges for that purpose.

SAMUEL RODGERS
RUMSEY SMITHSON,
J. H. BOYD,
E. J. ARMSTRONG,
SAMUEL K. COX,
J. W. McCARTY,
J. H. H. FIGGATT.
J. E. ARMSTRONG.

L. L. LLOYD,
J. S. HUTCHINSON,
R. R. S. HOUGH,
GEO. T. TYLER,
J. P. HOUCK,
W. H. D. HARPER,
THOS. E. CARSON,
JOHN W. NUMSEN.

W. F. Locke was substituted in the place of W. B. Dorsey to canvass for the Conference Minutes.

J. E. Alexander, Treasurer of the Conference Board of Missions, presented and read his report.

Conference proceeded to vote on the second ballot for Clerical Delegates to the General Conference.

On motion, W. B. Dorsey, having been obliged to leave the seat of the Conference, was permitted to cast his sealed vote for delegates to the General Conference.

The clerical members deposited their ballots, and the Secretary and Tellers retired to count them.

The report of the Board of Colportage was presented and read, and, on motion, it was adopted.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Education was taken up.

To the amendment of yesterday to divide the assessment of \$2,000 between Randolph-Macon College and Wesleyan Female Institute, an amendment was offered by J. H. H. Figgatt to divide the assessment of \$4,000 between Randolph-Macon College and Wesleyan Female Institute.

The vote was taken, and a rising vote was called for, which resulted:

For the amendment to the amendment, 54; against, 87.

On motion Conference determined that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet at 3:30 this afternoon.

An amendment to the amendment on the Report No. 2 of the Board of Education was offered by J. H. H. Figgatt, viz: To assess the sum of \$3,000, to be divided between Randolph-Macon College and the Wesleyan Female Institute, in the proportion of two-thirds to the College and one-third to the Institute.

It was moved to lay this amendment on the table.

The vote was taken, and upon call a rising vote was had, which resulted:

For laying on the table, 61; against, 49.

The amendment to the amendment was laid on the table.

The amendment proposed yesterday, to divide \$2,000 equally between the the College and Institute, having been put to vote, was lost.

The Report of the Board of Education was then, on motion, adopted.

The following preamble and resolutions were presented and read, and, on motion, they were adopted.

1. *Resolved*, That the preachers of our Conference are hereby requested to take up a collection in their respective congregations, either during May or June, for the benefit of the Wesleyan Female Institute, to provide for its immediate needs, and that the money be paid over to J. A. Fauver, Treasurer, said collection not to be considered a part of the \$15,000 before mentioned.

2. *Resolved*, That President Robertson be requested to co-operate with the preachers and to aid them in taking up collections at whatever points he may be able to visit.

(Signed,) S. G. FERGUSON,
R. SMITHSON,
J. H. H. FIGGATT.

On motion, it was left to the discretion of the Committee, appointed under the resolution in the Report of the Board of Education, in determining the time and method of taking the collection providing \$60,000 for Randolph-Macon Colleges and Academies, and Wesleyan Female Institute.

Question Twenty. *Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?*

The character of J. S. Hopkins was examined and passed, and, on motion, his name was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for a supernumerary relation.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Joint Board of Finance was presented and read, and, on motion, it was approved.

The Secretary for the clerical members, G. T. Tyler, reported the result of the votes cast on the second ballot for clerical delegates to the General Conference, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast, 150; necessary to a choice, 76.

Samuel Rodgers received 95; David Bush, 95; J. A. Kern, 91; P. H. Whisner, 66; J. E. Armstrong, 32; B. W. Bond, 29; I. W. Canter, 27; G. T. Tyler, 18; J. S. Hutchinson, 15; F. R. Hill, 14; W. H. D. Harper, 13; J. P. Hyde, 11; S. G. Ferguson, 10; J. H. Boyd, 10; J. S. Gardner, 10; R. R. S. Hough, 9; J. W. Duffey, 8; W. S. Hammond, 8; G. H. Zimmerman, 7; T. G. Nevitt, 6; S. K. Cox, 6; H. P. Hamill, 5; H. H. Kennedy, 2. W. G. Eggleston, 2; scattering, 8.

Whereupon the President declared that Samuel Rodgers, David Bush and John A. Kern, having received a majority of the votes cast, were elected clerical delegates to the next General Conference.

Conference proceeded to cast the third ballot for a remaining clerical delegate to the next General Conference.

The Secretary and Tellers, after the ballots of the clerical members had been cast, retired to count the vote.

On motion, Conference resolved that the report of the Committee on Publishing Interests be made the order of the day for this afternoon, immediately after the reading of the Journal.

Question Twenty of the General Minutes, viz: *Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?*

The characters of J. W. Duffey, C. W. Cook, L. W. Haslup, J. T. Wightman, H. H. Kennedy, J. H. Light, H. M. Strickler, J. H. Dulaney, L. L. Lloyd, E. H. Henry, W. E. Woolf, Geo. H. Zimmerman, F. H. Shipley, W. P. C. Coe, J. H. Kuhlman, N. N. Hall, F. R. Hill, W. Melville, S. B. Dolly, W. A. McDonald, J. W. Mitchell, F. T. Griffith, T. J. Lambert, C. D. Harris, F. M. Totten, C. K. Milliken, L. G. Martin, J. R. Andrew, C. A. Joyce, W. H. Woolf, J. C. Sedwick, I. W. Canter, J. C. Jones, T. E. Carson, J. T. Williams, S. V. Hildebrand, C. B. Sutton, B. F. Ball, R. R. S. Hough, W. H. Sanders, H. I. Stephens, J. L. Shipley, T. G. Nevitt, J. W. Grubb, W. E. Miller, C. E. Simmons, J. O. Tackett, A. Weller, W. O. Ross, L. Fox and S. G. Ferguson, were examined and passed.

The Secretary reported the count of the votes of the clerical members for Delegates to the General Conference on the third ballot, as follows:

Number of ballots, 144.

Necessary to a choice, 73.

P. H. Whisner, 77; J. E. Armstrong, 13; B. W. Bond, 13; I. W. Canter, 12; G. T. Tyler, 7; J. H. Hutchinson, 3; F. R. Hill, 3; J. H. Boyd, 2; W. S. Hammond, 2; H. P. Hamill, 2; W. H. D. Harper, 2; scattering, 10.

The President declared that P. H. Whisner, having received a majority of the votes cast, was elected a Clerical Delegate to the General Conference.

Conference proceeded to the election of four Reserve Delegates to the General Conference.

On motion, it was determined that the four clerical members receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared to be elected as Reserve Delegates.

The ballots for reserve clerical delegates having been cast, the Secretary and Tellers retired to count the vote.

The count of the votes was reported by the Secretary, as follows:

J. E. Armstrong received 68; B. W. Bond, 59; I. W. Canter, 49; G. T. Tyler, 39; J. S. Hutchinson, 32; W. H. D. Harper, 27; F. R. Hill, 27; J. W. Duffey, 24; J. H. Boyd, 20; R. R. S. Hough, 19; S. G. Ferguson, 18; J. P. Hyde, 18; H. P. Hamill, 17; W. G. Hammond, 12; T. G. Nevitt, 12; G. H. Zimmerman, 10; H. H. Kennedy, 10; S. K. Cox, 10; J. S. Gardner, 9; T. E. Carson, 7; J. C. Jones, 5; J. T. Wightman, 5; J. T. Williams, 5; W. G. Eggleston, 4; J. P. Stump, 3; A. O. Armstrong, 3; J. R. Andrew, 3; scattering, 31.

Whereupon, the President declared that James E. Armstrong, Beverly W. Bond, Isaac W. Canter and George T. Tyler, having received the highest number of votes cast, were elected reserve delegates to the next General Conference.

On motion, Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by Bishop Granbery, to meet this afternoon at 3:30.

SIXTH DAY.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON, April 3, 1894.

Conference met according to appointment.

R. R. S. Hough, by request of Bishop Granbery, in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by J. R. Van Horne.

The Journal of this morning was read and approved.

The report of the Committee on Publishing Interests was presented and read, and on motion, it was adopted.

On motion, resolved by the members of the Baltimore Annual Conference, that we will, during April and May of the present Conference year, publicly call the attention of the respective congregations to the Episcopal Methodist and endeavor to extend its circulation among our people.

J. M. HAWLEY,
L. L. LLOYD,
A. O. ARMSTRONG.

The report of the Committee on Conference Relations was presented and read, as follows:

The Committee on Conference Relations make the following report:

For the Superannuated relation we recommend the following names, viz: Francis M. Mills, David Thomas, Nelson Head, J. Hoffman Waugh, John W. Tongue, Joshua M. Grandin, John W. Wolfe, Robert Smith, Charles G. Linthicum, James M. Follansbee, Joseph H. Temple, Francis A. Mercer, Aaron Boon, William Hedges, William K. Boyle, Mabury G. Balthis, Chas. L. Dameron, Wesley Hammond, Robert Ross, Hamilton W. Kinzer.

For the supernumerary relation, J. Newman Hank, John W. Boteler, Ephraim L. Kregelo, Joseph J. Engle, Asbury R. Martin, Jacob S. Hopkins.

J. H. DULANY, *President*.

J. L. KIBLER, *Secretary*.

Question Seventeen.—*Who are Supernumerary?*

The vote was taken on the cases of brethren recommended in the Report of the Committee on Conference Relations for a Supernumerary relation, and it was granted them.

Question Eighteen.—*Who are Superannuated?*

The vote was taken on the cases of brethren recommended in the Report of the Committee on Conference Relations for a Superannuated relation, and it was granted them.

The Report of the Committee on the Bible Cause was presented and read, and, on motion, it was adopted.

On motion, the Joint Board of Finance was given leave of absence.

J. S. Porter, G. O. Homan were granted leave of absence.

The Report of the Committee on Temperance was presented and read.

On motion, the third clause in the report was stricken out, and, on motion, the report was adopted.

Report No. 3, from the Board of Education, referring to the Valley Female College and Ministerial Education, was presented and read, and, on motion, it was adopted.

A paper from the Sunday School Board, relating to the communication, referred to the board, from W. C. Perkins, regarding the International Convention of the Christain Endeavor Societies, was presented and read, and on motion, it was adopted.

In reply to the communication of W. C. Perkins, regarding the International Convention of Christian Endeavor Societies for 1896, referred to the Sunday School Board, we respectfully submit that while we earnestly hope and so petition the trustees of said Society that the Convention will be held within our bounds, yet in view of the fact that two of our cities are anxious for that honor, we find it difficult to decide, and deem it unwise to declare in favor of either.

J. H. LIGHT, Pres. S. S. Board.

J. W. GRUBB, Secretary.

Conference, on motion, determined that when we adjourn, we adjourn to meet this evening at 8 o'clock.

On motion, Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by R. R. S. Hough.

SIXTH DAY.

TUESDAY NIGHT, April 3, 1894.

Conference met at the appointed hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious services were conducted by G. H. Zimmerman.

The Journal of this afternoon was read and approved.

J. L. Shipley, Secretary of the Conference Mission Board, presented his Report, which was read by the Secretary.

The Report of the Committee on District Conference Records was presented and read, and, on motion, it was adopted.

The Report of the Sunday School Board was presented and read.

On motion, that part of the Report referring to the adoption into the Epworth League of certain features of the Christian Endeavor Society was stricken out.

On motion, the Report was adopted.

On motion,

Resolved, That, as far as practicable, all our Sunday School supplies be ordered through the Conference Colporteur.

F. A. STROTHER,
ISAAC W. CANTER.
A. M. CACKLEY,
O. C. BEALL.

The Report of the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference was presented and read item by item.

On motion, Items I, II, III, IV, VI, VII, VIII, IX, and X, were severally adopted. Item V was, on motion, laid on the table.

On motion,

Resolved. That the thanks of this Conference are due and are hereby tendered to Rev. J. P. Hyde, D. D., for the very complete and satisfactory arrangements made with the railroads for the travel of its members to and from the place of its session.

Resolved, That Brother Hyde be requested to continue his services as Conference Railroad Agent during the coming year.

A. O. ARMSTRONG,
J. L. SHIPLEY.
J. S. ENGLE.

A collection was lifted for Conference stationery, amounting to \$22.40.

On motion, Conference adjourned with singing the Doxology, and with the benediction by Bishop Granbery, to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

SEVENTH DAY.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, April 4, 1894.

Conference met at the usual hour.

Bishop Granbery in the chair.

Religious exercises were conducted by A. A. P. Neel.

The Journal of last night was read and approved.

The Report of the Corporate Board of Finance was presented and read.

Question Twenty of the General Minutes—*Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?*

The characters of Isaac W. Canter, John C. Jones, Thomas E. Carson, James T. Williams, Simpson V. Hildebrand, Charles B. Sutton, Benjamin F. Ball, Robert R. S. Hough, William H. Sanders, Henry I. Stephens, James L. Shipley, Thomas G. Nevitt, James W. Grubb, William E. Miller, Charles E. Simmons, John O. Tackett, Addison Weller, William O. Ross, Lafayette Fox, Sydnor G. Ferguson, William H. D. Harper, Frazier Furr, James R. Van Horne, William G. Eggleston, Quincy A. Wheat, James P. Stump, Henry S. Coe, William W. Watts, Silas R. Snapp, Alfred O. Armstrong, James L. Kibler, James H. Wolff, Andrew M. Cackley, Hamilton A. Gaver, Allen A. P. Neel, Francis A. Strother, John A. Kern, John P. Hyde, Beverly W. Bond, Samuel K. Cox, James H. Boyd, John A. Anderson, Lewis R. Jones, Thomas Cooper, Rufus M. Wheeler, Asbury C. McNeer, John C. Thrasher, Thomas J. Miller, Thomas Briley, Charles L. Kennard, William M. Waters, J. Kyle Gilbert, Leonidas Butt, Thomas W. Brown, James S. Porter, Jacob S. Hopkins, Philip S. E. Sixeas, Henry D. Bishop, John S. Hutchinson, Wm. F. Hammer, Charles S. Stanton, George T. D. Collins, James L. Henderson, C. Harry Buchanan, William H. H. Joyce, George D. White, William L. Dolly, John W. Canter, William B. Dorsey, Adam Q. Flaherty, Oscar F. Burgess, Forrest J. Prettyman, Jefferson D. Martin, Lewis H. Graybill, Harry L. Myerly, Collins Denny, William K. Marshall, German O. Homan, George R. Mays, Hamilton M. Roane, Oliver C. Beall, John J. Crickenberger, James F. Baggs, John H. Davidson, William H. Ballangee, Rufus H. Wilson, John T. Maxwell, David F. Eutsler, Christopher Sydenstricker, Henry A. Brown, Sylvanus Townsend, Charles W. Mark, John O. Knott, William F. Locke, William A. Sites, David L. Reid, Samuel A. Parker, Milton M. Lang, Luke R. Markwood, Charles H. Wood, Fisk E. Hammond, James M. Hawley, were examined and passed.

Question Sixteen—*Who are located this year?*

The characters of John K. White and Oscar W. Lusby were examined, and, on motion, passed.

John K. White was granted a location, at his own request, and Oscar W. Lusby, in order to go to school.

Question Twenty-one—*What is the number of local preachers and members in the several Circuits, Stations and Missions of the Conference?*

Local preachers, 119; white members, 45,712; colored members, 29; total, 45,960.

By request of Bishop Granbery, R. R. S. Hough took the chair.

The report of the Board of Church Extension was presented and read.

The following resolution was presented and read, and, on motion, it was adopted:

Whereas, The importance of having our churches insured is an acknowledged fact; and *whereas*, a plan has been before the Conference for several years, known as the Fire Relief Association, for the insurance of our Churches, which plan has failed to become operative because of the apathy of the churches on this subject, therefore,

Resolved, 1. That Rev. G. H. Zimmerman be continued as treasurer of this association. 2. That the preachers in charge be requested to bring this matter before the churches during the first quarter of the coming year, and that the presiding elders enquire concerning this matter at the first Quarterly Conference. 3. That all our churches be urged to become members of this association.

T. G. NEVITT,
J. A. KERN,
J. S. HUTCHINSON.

A resolution of thanks to the people of Fredericksburg, was, on motion, adopted by a rising vote, as follows:

Resolved, That our hearty thanks are due, and are hereby tendered, to the good people of Fredericksburg for the handsome and generous manner in which they have entertained the Conference during its present session, and that we will carry with us pleasing recollections of our sojourn among them, and will ever pray that Heaven's blessing may continue to abide on all their homes; and further,

Resolved, That we highly appreciate the courtesy of the pastors who so kindly extended the use of their pulpits, and otherwise contributed to the pleasure and comfort of the Conference, and that we will ever hold them in pleasurable remembrance.

JOHN P. HYDE,	DAVID BUSH,
W. F. HAMNER,	WM. H. D. HARPER,
J. H. BOYD,	WM. H. WOOLF.
P. H. WHISNER.	

The following resolution of thanks to the reporters was, on motion, adopted:

Resolved, That we herewith tender our thanks to the polite reporter of the Baltimore Sun, who has for several successive years reported the proceedings of the Conference, for his full and accurate reports of the present session; also to the courteous reporters of the Baltimore American, Richmond Times, Baltimore News, Washington Star, and the local papers; and to the various lines of railroads that have granted reduced rates for the transportation of the members of the Conference to and from the present session.

J. P. HYDE,	J. W. DUFFEY,
L. R. MARKWOOD,	S. K. COX.

Bishop Granbery took the chair.

Report No. 2, from the Joint Board of Finance, was presented and read, and, on motion, it was adopted.

On motion, resolved, that as far as practicable, all our Sunday School supplies be ordered through our Conference Colporteur.

F. A. STROTHER,
ISAAC W. CANTER,
A. M. CACKLEY,
O. C. BEALL.

On motion, resolved, that the thanks of the Conference are due and are hereby tendered to Rev. C. S. Stanton, for the faithful performance of his duties as Postmaster of the Conference.

B. W. BOND,

J. S. HUTCHINSON,

J. P. HYDE,

W. L. DOLLY,

G. H. ZIMMERMAN,

J. P. STUMP.

On motion, *Resolved*, that we especially thank Rev. S. G. Ferguson and his Committee on Entertainment, for their painstaking and untiring efforts and splendid success in providing for the comfort of the Conference.

H. P. HAMILL,

W. F. HAMNER.

A collection was lifted for the Sexton, amounting to \$20.

Questions XXII, XXIII, XXIV, XXV, XXVI, XXVII, XXVIII, XXIX, XXX, XXXI, XXXII, XXXIII. (See General Minutes, pages 4 and 5.)

The Journal of this morning was read and approved.

The President presented the nominations for Joint Board of Finance, Committee on Memoirs, Visiting Committees to Randolph-Macon College, Wesleyan Female Institute and Valley Female College, to preach the opening sermon 1895, and, on motion, the nominations were confirmed. (See page 14.)

Bishop Granbery appropriately addressed the Conference.

Question Thirty-five.—*Where are the preachers stationed this year?*

The appointments were read by the Bishop.

Conference united in singing the Doxology. The Benediction was pronounced by the Bishop, and Conference adjourned *sine die*.

REPORTS.

MEMOIRS.

Rev. GEORGE STEVENSON.

Rev. George Stevenson, the second son of John and Frances Stevenson, was *born* the 20th day of September, 1810, on a farm owned by his father and belonging originally to the estate of Lord Abercom in the county of Tyrone, in the Province of Ulster, Ireland, and *died* in Stephens' City, Frederick County, Virginia, July 8, 1893. He was *baptized* in infancy by the Rev. Matthew Clark, pastor of the Presbyterian Church (at Ardstraw Bridge), of which his father was a Ruling Elder.

His mother previous to her marriage had been a member of the Wesleyan Methodist Church. *George*, together with the other children, was taught the confession of faith and the Shorter Catechism. But when a boy of only twelve years, he felt he could not subscribe to the doctrines in which his father had him so thoroughly drilled. In the providence of God, it so happened that he was permitted to attend a Wesleyan Methodist Church. The word preached made a lasting impression on George Stevenson. He was brought under the convicting power of the Spirit. He felt that he was under the wrath of the Almighty. In reference to his condition at this time, his private journal contains the following: "While the Spirit of God was at work with my heart I prayed often in private, sometimes using a kind of penance, by kneeling upon stones that left indentations in my little knees," "a mistaken idea," he adds, "which I caught from the Roman Catholic hirelings whom I often heard talk about the merit of bodily suffering." While in this state of mind God in his mysterious providence removed George's father by death. About this time, the Methodists were invited to hold religious services at the Stevenson homestead. Little George was soon found with other penitent souls seeking Christ in the pardon of sin. In his journal is found the following: "I sought God with prayers and tears. At last deliverance came; upon a Sabbath afternoon, in a meeting held for penitent sinners, God blessed me with a sense of pardoning mercy." George's conversion led to the renewal of his mother's religious life and also to the conversion of other members of the household. From the day of Brother Stevenson's conversion, the old homestead was a stopping place for the preachers of Wesleyan Methodism until the family removed to America. Some time after Brother Stevenson's conversion he felt that his spiritual enjoyment was greatly disturbed by reason of conflict with duty. First, he was called upon to unite in the public services of the sanctuary, and furthermore he felt moved of the Spirit to preach the Gospel. Resisting the Spirit in these two matters he was cast into temporary darkness of mind. But when he yielded himself fully to the claims that pressed themselves upon heart and conscience, he again felt that,

"The Lord all the day long,
Was his joy and his song."

About the time of this transitive period in his religious experience he came to America to visit a brother there residing in Philadelphia. Here,

as well as in his native land, young Stevenson heard the call to preach the Gospel still sounding in his ear. At the expiration of a year he returned to Ireland and took charge of affairs on the home place. About this time a great revival of religion broke out in Scotland and swept through Ireland. In the midst of this great revival Brother Stevenson was licensed to preach. "He wrought day and night" with the preachers, and soon found himself doing the full work of a Methodist preacher. In 1840 he emigrated with other members of the family to America. They came to Philadelphia, but they finally selected Lycoming County, Pennsylvania, as their future home and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Brother Stevenson's official standing was recognized and his license as a local preacher was renewed by the Quarterly Conference of the Lycoming Charge. In 1841 he was recommended for admission on trial in the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was appointed as junior preacher on the Clearfield Circuit, with that saintly spirit, the Rev. Thomas Hildebrand. In 1842 he was appointed to Warrior's Mark, with Father Stevens. Here, as at Clearfield, the work was blessed with abundant prosperity. In 1843 he was ordained Deacon by Bishop Waugh, and sent as junior preacher to Bedford, with Rev. Jonathan Munroe as preacher in charge. In 1844 he traveled with Rev. Peter McAnally on the Alleghany Circuit. On the 20th of February, 1845, Brother Stevenson was united in marriage to Miss Teressa G. McLaughlin. At the ensuing Conference he was ordained Elder and appointed as preacher in charge of the old Trough Creek Circuit. In 1846 he was appointed to this field again, with the late Rev. David Shoaff as junior preacher. From that day they were as inseparable as Jonathan and David. In 1847-8 Brother Stevenson served on the Concord Circuit with Rev. Alexander McClay.

In 1849, he was appointed to Mifflin, where he was greatly afflicted by the death of his wife and one of his children. In 1850, he was appointed to the Williamsburg charge. On the 28th of November of the same year, he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Watts, one of the daughters of the late Rev. James Watts, of the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. In 1851-2, he was appointed to Hancock. 1853-4, to Berkley Circuit as preacher in charge, with Rev. Hamilton A. Gaver, as junior preacher, who afterwards became his brother-in-law. In 1855, he was appointed to Hampstead. 1856-7, to New Port. About this time the Baltimore Conference was divided, and Bro. Stevenson, according to the boundaries made, fell into that part called the East Baltimore Conference. In 1858-9, he was appointed to Lewistown, Pa. 1860, to Green Castle. 1861, Gettysburg, where he felt the strain peculiar to those days and times. In 1862-3, he traveled the Frederick Circuit. In 1864, under the strain of circumstances, he asked for a superannuated relation. At this time great excitement prevailed in the Church. Non-slaveholding had been declared a test of membership. Amid the tide of war excitement rose to unwarranted heights. Brother Stevenson felt himself no longer at home in the M. E. Church. He could no longer subscribe to its views upon national and ecclesiastical questions. He felt that in all good conscience he could not remain in the M. E. Church. His sympathy was with the M. E. Church, South. In conflict of mind and soul he withdrew from the M. E. Church, and in 1865 he united with the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, and was appointed to the Buckeystown Circuit. The brethren of this sister denomination knew that his position was a tentative one, and that if the way ever opened he would seek affiliation with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. In 1866, seeing his way clear to be with the brethren of his choice, he withdrew from the Methodist Protestant connection and united with the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church, South, and was appointed to the Bridgewater charge, where he served two years. In 1868 he was appointed to Luray. In 1869-70-71-72 he traveled the Winchester Circuit. For two years he was junior preacher

with that man of precious memory, the late Rev. Wm. H. Wheelright. The two succeeding years he was preacher in charge, and had for his fellow-laborer the Rev. S. G. Ferguson. In 1873 he was appointed to Frederick Circuit, where he served four years. In 1877 he was granted a superannuated relation, but as long as physical strength would permit he labored in word and doctrine.

Brother Stevenson was a man somewhat below medium stature, but, nevertheless, compactly built, and a man of great physical strength. He had a massive head and a keen black eye that sparkled with the brilliance of Irish wit and humor. He was the soul of generosity, and those who entered his home were met by the warmth of "one given to hospitality." If he had a will of iron and a nerve of steel, at the same time he possessed a nature of almost boundless sympathy. No sacrifice was too great for him to make for a friend, and if he faced a foe, he was open, brave and dauntless. He was a man of strong convictions, and unbending religious principles. "He was a devout man, full of faith and the Holy Ghost." Through his whole life he was a constant reader. He both knew and loved the doctrines of Methodism. His knowledge of the Scriptures was, in some respects, almost phenomenal. If asked for references bearing upon any phase of religious doctrine he would immediately marshal passage after passage, and give the chapter and verse where found. As a preacher, he was scriptural, clear, analytic, forcible, practical, and direct. In his palmy days he possessed an imagination of vivid power. He also possessed the power of condensation to a remarkable degree. He retained something of the brogue of his native land, but when Brother Stevenson was in health and strength he "preached with power and in demonstration of the Spirit." Many gracious revivals attended his ministry, and in the final day of reckoning many stars will adorn his crown. He never lost interest in the great movements of Methodism. As long as he was able to read his study table was the home of the leading papers and periodicals of the great family of Methodism. For years Brother Stevenson's health was so precarious that he was unable to attend the sessions of the Annual Conference, but he took a lively interest in all its proceedings and always made affectionate inquiry after his brethren. The last three years of his life were years of great physical weakness and suffering. The greater portion of the time he had to be under the constant care and attention of a nurse. His death was not unexpected to his friends. He was ready and waiting for the messenger. On the 8th of July, 1893, the aged patriarch "gathered up his feet and departed in peace," and within two days his beloved wife followed after. His funeral services were conducted from the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Stephens' City.

Rev. WILLIAM ANDERSON WADE, D. D.

Rev. William Anderson Wade was born in Christiansburg, Va., August 2, 1826, and died in Washington, D. C., December 4, 1893, aged sixty-seven years, four months and two days. When he was twelve years old he was left an orphan.

Three years later he entered Emory and Henry College, where he remained until the age of eighteen, when he entered mercantile business in his native town.

The next thirteen years of his life were spent here and in Baltimore. In 1857 he accepted the position of cashier for the White Sulphur Springs Company of Virginia, and subsequently engaged in the wholesale hardware business with a firm in Richmond, Va.

After the civil war began he was chosen to fill an important office in the Treasury of the Confederate Government, which office he held until 1863, when he was elected cashier of the Farmers' Bank in Blacksburg, Va.

After the close of the war the settlement of this bank devolved chiefly upon him. In all these positions, some of them involving heavy responsibilities, he discharged every duty with the strictest fidelity and to the entire satisfaction of all parties concerned. Through all these years of secular toil he felt his conscience impelling him to a higher calling.

For twenty years he had been a local preacher, rendering faithful and acceptable service where he lived, and in the country around, as occasion afforded; but he always felt that he was called to the work of the regular ministry, yet there were barriers which always appeared to close up his way.

When, therefore, Providence opened the way, he turned aside from several lucrative business openings, and offered himself to the Baltimore Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and was received into the traveling connection in March, 1868.

This was the consummation of his ardent hope, and the path of duty upon which he now entered rendered him supremely joyful. His first appointment was Salem Circuit, which he served three years. In 1871 he was stationed at Harrisonburg, and in 1872 and 1873 at Charlestown, West Virginia.

The next year at Moorefield; and 1875 and 1876, he traveled Montgomery Circuit, Md. At the close of his second year on this charge, he was appointed to Brucetown, where he remained one year. The next three years he labored on Winchester Circuit, and in 1881 he was stationed at Front Royal, where he remained three years also.

From here he was sent to Lexington, which station he served 1884 and 1885. In 1886 and 1887, he filled Christiansburg Station, and 1888 and 1889, was appointed to Warrenton. His last charge in the Conference was Falls Church, to which he was assigned in 1890.

At the Conference which met in Roanoke, in 1891, he was placed on the supernumerary list, and remained on this list until Conference one year ago, when he was granted a superannuated relation. He came into the Conference late in life, yet his ministry extended through twenty-six years, and embraced twelve pastoral charges.

After a change of his active relation to the Conference, he accepted a position in the Auditor's office of the District of Columbia. His excellent business qualifications, and his aptness as an accountant, served him well in this office, and secured for him a fair remuneration.

He was filling this office when he died.

Our deceased brother was a man of deep and solid piety. He professed faith in Christ at the age of twenty-four, and the same night he consecrated his home to God by erecting a family altar. Next to his family came his Church; and whether he served it as class-leader, steward, recording steward, local preacher or pastor, he was in every office faithful, and in everything conscientious.

He observed regular habits of private devotion. Early in the morning, when other members of the family would awake, he would be found up, and engaged in the devout study of God's word. Pen marks and marginal notes all through his Bible, indicate the care with which he studied it. He was prudent in speech, carefully avoiding the speaking of evil about others, and encouraged the same disposition in others.

He was very happy in his domestic life. On August 31, 1847, he was married to Miss Charlotte Louise Amiss, who, with their three children, survive him. The warm, tender love he bestowed upon his household was fully reciprocated, and the careful, watchful training of his children was rewarded in their early conversion and the development of their religious characters. His return home from business or pastoral calls always brought joy and gladness to his family.

As a preacher he was orthodox, systematic and clear. His sermons were carefully prepared; usually they were written, and a free use of the manuscript was had in the pulpit. Tall and commanding in person, courtly in manners, a strong voice and emphatic delivery, a mind well stored with knowledge, and a heart brave and courageous, yet tender, modest and shrinking, together with a high sense of honor and deep convictions of the efficacy of Christ, were among his chief characteristics. He was not without seals to his ministry, yet he seemed to be more specially called to "feed the flock" of Christ and edify the church, and no doubt many will rise up in the day of the Lord and call him blessed. In recognition of his ability as a preacher the Washington and Lee University, in the year 1885, conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

But how did he die? Whether he had a premonition of death or not we cannot say, but he seemed to grow weary of life as his last sickness came on. Walking to church with his family the Sunday before he was taken down to his bed, he spoke of the heavy burdens which this life lays upon one, and said: "If I could only provide for your comfort in this world, how gladly would I die." Two days after this he was seized with fatal illness, and in five days he was dead. During his sickness he often prayed and quoted verses of Scripture and stanzas of familiar hymns. A short time before death he repeated "The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear Him and delivereth them;" and again, "Helper of the helpless, help thou me." He asked the hour, and when told that it was five o'clock in the morning, said: "Thank the Lord, the night is nearly gone and the dawn is approaching." Half reclining on his pillow, he looked smilingly towards his daughters standing near his bed, and bringing his hand suddenly to his heart, exclaimed: "I cannot stand this pain any longer," and instantly expired. Thus lived, and thus died, this minister and servant of Jesus Christ.

Rev. SAMUEL W. HADDAWAY.

Samuel Wilmer Haddaway was born at St. Michael's, Talbot County, Maryland, August 1, 1850, and died in Washington October 26, 1893. Converted August 22, 1866, at a camp-meeting near Easton, Maryland, Brother Haddaway at once joined the M. E. Church, South, the first one of his family to do so. He soon, however, had the deep pleasure of seeing his father and mother and others of the family come into the same communion, and that largely through his influence. From first to last, in doctrine, principles and polity, the subject of this memoir was a Methodist. Hence, though but sixteen when converted, he at once became zealous in Church work; and being a school teacher at this period, his sprightly intelligence made him available for much good service. Successively a class leader, an exhorter and a local preacher, his way gradually opened to the ministry, in entering which work he seems to have yielded to the call of years. The impression that the active ministry was his life business was ineffaceable, and it bore him toward the itinerancy. By the Fourth Quarterly Conference of Trappe Station, in February, 1869, he was duly recommended to the Annual Conference for admission on trial into the traveling connection. The Conference met that year at Trinity, in Baltimore, Bishop Wightman presiding. Brother Haddaway's journal gives an interesting account of this his first visit to an Annual Conference. Preachers were not strangers to him, for at the camp-meeting where he was converted were some as effective as any in the Church. His observations concerning the Bishop and others at the Conference were thoughtfully and discriminatingly made; and the association there with his brethren seems to have afforded him intense pleasure.

At Salem, in 1871, Brother Haddaway was ordained Deacon by Bishop Pierce, and, at Baltimore, in 1873, by Bishop Pierce, he was ordained Elder. His successive appointments were: Baltimore Circuit, 1869-72, Beltsville, 1872-75; Holland street, 1875-77; Piedmont, 1877-79; Moorefield, 1879-81; Loudoun Circuit, 1881-83, with J. H. Waugh; Middleburg, 1883-84; Fall's Church, 1884-86; Mt. Vernon, 1886-90; Central, 1890-92; Marvin, 1893. Of the conference of 1892 he asked a superannuated relation, his health having failed; and though he came back in 1893 to take up again his beloved employ, and was appointed to Marvin, in Washington, yet he was not privileged to work through the year.

That the first six years of his ministry should have been spent at two appointments was uncommon, and the favor thus shown a young man gave him a keen sense of his responsibility. His devotedness, so marked a characteristic in him, early and variously showed itself. To this day the people of Baltimore Circuit tell how he commenced holding services in a barn, which was soon over-run by the press of attendants. Out of this, as out of similar enterprises, grew a church society and structure. On Moorefield Circuit, also, his zeal led him to work with his own hands upon the church building, helping it forward to a speedy completion in every possible way.

Brother Haddaway's remarkable devotion to every work he undertook was due to his decision of character. He was a man of intense convictions, deep sympathies, and fervent spirituality. He knew what he wished to achieve, his aims were comprehensive, and they were followed with his whole heart; while sustaining every effort he made was a courage undaunted by the severest obstacles. This easily made him a power in his work. He was the leader of his people, young men notably following his counsel, and often making him their model.

Though he neglected no interest of a charge, yet special features of church work engaged his concern. Foreign missions enlisted his most earnest endeavor. He lectured on their operations in various countries, and made urgent personal appeals for their support, usually securing contributions beyond assessments. Nor was he behind in care for home mission work. He enlarged the borders of any vineyard he was sent to cultivate. His plans in organizing were practical, and his methods carefully adopted. He was both progressive and aggressive. Many features of the modern institutional church appeared in his enterprises, especially in stations, while such was his unfailing spirituality that the religious character of those under his care was his chief concern. Revivals and growth in grace were insisted upon by him, with a persistence that gave him marked success as a pastor.

According to years, our deceased brother was cut off in the prime of life; but his course was full and well-rounded. Twenty-five years a preacher, earnest, energetic and unctious, the sheaves of his ministry were abundant; and eighteen years the head of a happy home, his domestic life was to him a continuous and unalloyed blessing. In February, 1875, Brother Haddaway was married to Miss Mollie E. Thompson, daughter of Dr. R. H. Thompson of Carroll county, Maryland. For the sake of his tenderly beloved wife and daughter, as well as for his work's sake, he wanted to live, his abounding vitality resisting to the last encroachments of disease. And while he could have smiled at death as at a foe disarmed, he hastened not to lay down the weapons of a successful warfare, even for the rest of an endless peace. In the winter of his superannuation he was not content to be idle. The pastor of the Methodist Protestant Church in Oxford, wrote of him to the press:

"Side by side we stood in loving and sympathetic co-operation, and preached the Gospel and called sinners to repentance. In the pentecostal revival of last winter, Brother Haddaway was present whenever his health would permit, and did grand work. His stirring, thrilling appeals I shall never forget."

We, who have seen him in the midst of revival work, can appreciate every word of this fraternal acknowledgment. He was never happier than when instrumental in saving souls.

It seemed a provision of a tender leading in his life that the little vine of his own planting should become the grateful shade to his failing strength. In March last Brother Haddaway went to Marvin. That loving people welcomed him, shielded him from over-exertion, encouraged him under the gathering shadow of fatal disease, and gently ministered to him to the end. In August he assumed the duties of the Chaplaincy of the House of Representatives. Here, too, his individuality was as manifest as in the pastorate. His prayers were pointed and terse, void of affectation and noticeably fervent. His ministrations made an impression, giving him influence among all attending upon such services. He won their sincere regard, and they mourn his untimely death. His last illness was brief, though he had suffered for years. He went to bed on Sunday and on Thursday next, his spirit gently passing away, his body was laid in Marvin Church, to be watched over by the young men whom he had formed into a society. On Friday, sorrowing friends, ministerial brethren, and a committee of respect from the House of Representatives met to pay a parting tribute to his memory. He was buried at Freedom, Carroll county, Md.

Ministerial friends who were with him in his last days speak of his unfaltering faith and firm peace. He said that all was well, and no one who knew him can doubt it.

Rev. W. W. HEDRICK.

Rev. Wm. W. Hedrick was born June 15, 1827, in Wythe county, Virginia, and died in Newport, Giles county, Virginia, October 10, 1893.

The accident by which he lost his life was likely a fall from his vehicle, on the morning of October 7th, in passing over the mountains from Blacksburg to Newport. This caused concussion of the brain in addition to other serious internal injuries. He never rallied sufficiently to give an account of the sad circumstance, but continued to sink until Tuesday following; when, at 10 A. M., his spirit gently passed away.

His parents, Jacob and Susanna Hedrick, were godly people; and, consequently, in youth he developed that characteristic principle that was destined to be the controlling feature of his life. As a marked evidence of this he carefully made his associates of those who were deeply pious, although greatly his seniors.

He long sought a knowledge of his sins forgiven, allowing nothing to discourage him. With these influences at work, he united with the church in 1844, or two years before he was converted. This blessed season, about which there were never any doubts in his mind, occurred in 1846. He at once became the friend, companion and intimate of his class-leader, and was looked upon by all who knew him as a model young Christian.

He was married to Miss Evelyn Wisely, daughter of Michael and Barbara Wisely, in Wythe county, Virginia, November 10, 1849. She still survives him, with nine of their twelve children.

He was licensed to exhort at the old Cripple-Creek Camp Ground, in the County of his nativity, in 1853; licensed to preach on June 9, 1855, by the Quarterly Conference of the Wytheville Circuit, Rev. J. M. McTeer preacher in charge. He served twenty years as a local preacher, conscientiously performing his duty in this respect, so far as health and opportunity permitted. On October 30, 1859, he was ordained Deacon, and on October 11, 1863, he was ordained Elder, being inducted into both of these offices by the sainted Bishop Early. He joined the Baltimore

Conference on probation in March, 1875, and was admitted into full connection in March, 1878.

He was preacher in charge of Upper Botetourt one year; James River, three years; Lafayette, three years; New Castle, two years; Catawba, two years; Cave Spring, three years; Catawba, four years, and was appointed to Newport Circuit at our last Conference session, which he served up to the time of his death.

From his first sermon, preached on June 24, 1855, up to the last, preached on October 1, 1893, he had delivered 3,075 sermons.

He fell at the post of duty. As a man he was respected and esteemed by those who knew him. Being very reserved in manner, and by no means aggressive in character, he suffered in the estimation of the casual acquaintance. But upon a more intimate association he invariably assumed his proper place, and was best loved by those who knew him best. He loved peace, and pursued it. In fact, so great was his love for peace that at times, to his detriment and suffering, did he purchase it. Few are aware of the severity of the personal trials through which he was called to pass. Conscious of the necessity of his own personal experience being clear, and so sternly devoted to the principle he had adopted in youth as his, amidst much that would have wrecked a weaker character, he stood true and steadfast unto the end.

As a preacher of the Word he was plain and practical, clear and forcible, impelled by a deep conviction of the truths he would expound. Although usually an even preacher, at times he would arise above his ordinary efforts and tower aloft in logic and eloquence. Particularly was this so in camp-meetings or revival services.

The atonement with him was a theme in which he had his chiefest delight; warming with the advancement of his subject, he would become thoroughly aroused and mounting to his grandest heights appear indeed the inspired messenger of a new covenant. On the subject of baptism he was thoroughly at home, whilst he was considered an extremist on temperance. On all moral questions, his position was ever positive, being seriously honest to his convictions.

He was ever chaste in his conversation, eschewing the appearance of evil and was too serious to enjoy an anecdote. He was particularly appreciated in the family circle as he would enter the homes of his people. However, of all in the home the children loved him best. Their hearty greeting was warmly met and sincerely enjoyed by him. He was uniformly beloved by the people he was privileged to serve.

We conclude in the words of his Presiding Elder, Dr. P. H. Whisner: "He was an able expounder of the Word of God, a workman that needed not to be ashamed. He was a man of spotless character, without fear and without reproach, and faithful in all the work of a Methodist preacher."

His body was laid to rest October 11th in a cemetery at his home church in Wythe to await the morning of the resurrection.

Rev. CHARLES M. BROWN.

"Rev. Charles M. Brown, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in Front Royal, Virginia, was drowned June 7, 1893, in the Shenandoah River, near Harper's Ferry."

Such was the startling announcement of the death of one of the most faithful and beloved members of the Baltimore Conference. Many were shocked and saddened by these awful tidings. Only a few weeks before Brother Brown had been appointed for the third year to Front Royal, Va., and had entered upon his work with his accustomed zeal and energy,

hoping to make it the best year of his ministry. But in the short space of two months his earthly ministry has ended.

June 9th, 1893, a large concourse of sorrowing and bereaved friends attended his funeral in the church in Front Royal of which he had been pastor. The community was in mourning over the death of one so useful and good and true, and reverently followed his remains to their quiet resting place in the beautiful cemetery overlooking the scene of his late home and last ministry.

Charles Melville Brown was born in Greenville, East Tennessee, November 28th, 1851, and died in his 42d year. His parents were Joseph R. and Fannie J. Brown, both staunch members of the Presbyterian Church. His education was begun at home under a private tutor, Mr. Robert McKorkle, and was finished with a five years' course at Emory and Henry College, Va., from which he graduated and took his degree of A. B. In 1867, in the 16th year of his age, he was converted and joined the Presbyterian Church under the ministry of Rev. Nathan Bachman. While a student at Emory and Henry College, having decided to enter the Christian ministry, and convinced that he could not conscientiously accept and preach all the doctrines of the Presbyterian Church, he connected himself with the M. E. Church, South, with which he found himself in accord. Intimate association from his childhood with his grandmother, who was a pioneer Methodist, and for whom he had great love and admiration, is believed to have contributed largely to this decision. In 1873 he was licensed to preach, and subsequently admitted on trial into the Holston Conference, from which he was transferred to the Baltimore Conference at its session in Washington, March, 1875. His first appointment was as junior preacher on Rockville circuit, with that true friend and kind counsellor of young preachers, Rev. J. C. Dice. His ministry here was successful and greatly blessed. So prudent and useful did he prove himself as a minister, that at the close of his third year he was appointed, in 1878, to White Sulphur Springs, a difficult and important charge. Here he remained two years, and was in high favor with the church and the many visitors who frequented this celebrated resort. In 1880 he was appointed to Reisterstown, Md., where he remained four years, displaying unusual talent for organizing, and exerting a wide influence among the people. His work in this charge was pre-eminently successful. His power and usefulness as a minister took more definite form, and gave sure prophecy of his subsequent career. He was abundant in labors, and full of resources. The Church at Reisterstown feels still the force of his life and ministry, and no name is more precious than that of Charles M. Brown. While stationed here he married Mrs. Lida Phinney, a devout and active member of his congregation, and an earnest Christian worker, who with their five children survive to lament his death.

His superior capacity in organizing, his zeal in evangelistic labors, his varied talents for work among the young, and his unsurpassed pastoral fidelity, designated him for broader fields of usefulness; and at the close of his fourth year at Reisterstown, in 1884, he was appointed to Central Church, Baltimore. The extent of his labors in all directions and spheres of ministerial activity resulted in large blessings to the Church, and gave promise of even more abundant fruit. But the constant strain of such labors upon his never-robust constitution proved too severe, and at the close of his second year he was removed and appointed to Middleburg, Loudoun county, Va. Here his physical vigor promptly returned, and soon the whole work felt the force and stimulus of his spirit and activity, and began an upward movement. He was not content with "the metes and bounds" of his work, but pushed out and opened up new preaching places, in schoolhouses and in the woods. Churches were repaired, congregations enlarged, Sunday Schools re-organized, families visited and souls converted. After four years of marked success he was appointed, in 1890, to Freedom Circuit, Maryland, where he remained but one year.

While successful and beloved here, as elsewhere, his talents for certain kinds of work had been so clearly indicated that, in 1891, he was appointed to Front Royal, Va. The Church and community immediately felt the influence of his presence and ministry. There was a gracious revival of religion and many accessions to the Church, both in Front Royal and in the country around. New openings were discovered and entered, the Sunday School took on new life, the young people were marshalled in active service and the older members were invigorated with the impulses of a higher life. His influence and zeal were strongly felt among the students at the Academy. At the time of his death he was planning and working for greater results in this direction. But his "sun went down when it was yet day," and his labors ended in the very zenith of his ministry and usefulness.

Brother Brown was one of the most popular and beloved ministers of our Conference. He was genial and approachable, gentle and courteous, yet firm and dignified. He was unselfish, self-sacrificing and generous. He was a true friend, one to be trusted and loved. Withal he was a man of deep and fervent piety. He loved the Word of God and studied it closely. He had great joy in the conversion of sinners and earnestly labored to build up believers. He was an evangelist in the true Scriptural sense and exulted in a revival of religion. His preaching was practical and illustrative, often embodying the doctrinal element. His style was simple, clear, earnest and effective. He always held himself under control. He was kind, charitable and pure in speech. He was rather above medium height, erect in form and vigorous in movement. While his features spoke of a kind heart, they also indicated strength and decision of character. In a large measure he possessed the spirit of enterprise and adventure. If we might discriminate, without any depreciation of his talents and usefulness in other departments, we would say that his special sphere of usefulness by his own choice and rare adaptation, was among the young.

He loved young men Before our church provided for the organization of Epworth Leagues Brother Brown had in his work young people's societies and leagues. He held Sunday School Institutes, was a member of the Sunday School Board of the Conference continuously from the first year of its organization, and in every way sought to promote the spiritual welfare of the young. *He had a genius for this work.*

But in the gentle courtesies, the pure atmosphere, the unrestrained freedom and delight of his home, he was perhaps best known. He ordered his household with gentle, but firm discipline. He made companions of his children, himself becoming a little child, and gave most careful attention to their religious interests. His aged mother writes: "His home life was as near perfect as mortals ever attain to—a dutiful and loving son, full of the Spirit from his boyhood on through his short life."

We append a brief quotation from the remarks of Rev. Samuel Rodgers, who conducted his funeral services, assisted by Revs. David Bush, B. W. Bond, H. P. Hamill, H. W. Kinzer, W. H. D. Harper and others:

"He had the observant eye, the guarded tongue, the ready hand and the swift feet when duty beckoned." His work was wrought after careful survey and according to a well considered plan. "He sought the lost and brought them to the Great Shepherd. And what a care he had for the lambs! Was any one among us more solicitous for the welfare of the children? Did any one among us equal him in teaching the little folks? And what a cheery, bright Christian experience was his! He walked in the light of the Lord. He was large-hearted, gave liberally and freely, was given to hospitality, a lover of good men, and in all relations he was the Christian gentleman." May we not say, an Israelite indeed, in whom there was no guile. "He served his generation according to the will of God, and fell on sleep."

IN MEMORIAM.

Our Brethren who have fallen on sleep since 1866.

"They * * * rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

NAME.	Ent'd Conf.	PLACE OF DECEASE.	TIME.	AGE.	IN MIN- ISTRY.
Eldridge R. Veitch.....	1831	Stephens' City, Va.....	February 10, 1867.	57	36
David Trout.....	1837	Front Royal, Va.....	December 6, 1869.	74	32
Daniel H. Parrish.....	1855	Baltimore City.....	February, 1871.	.....	16
John L. Gibbons.....	1820	Baltimore Co., Md.....	July, 1871.	.....	51
David Shoaff.....	1848	Woodstock, Va.....	May 26, 1871.	48	23
Stephen Smith.....	1830	Berkeley Springs, Va.....	October 9, 1871.	69	41
James D. Nally, (prob.)....	1870	Bladensburg, Md.....	1871.	26	1
William G. Cross.....	1846	Leesburg, Va.....	August 4, 1873.	51	27
John W. Bull.....	1843	Alexandria, Va.....	December 25, 1873.	54	30
Lewis Henley, (prob)....	1873	Greenbrier Co., W. Va.....	January 19, 1874.	24	1
Richard S. Shreve.....	1869	Botetourt Co., Va.....	June 25, 1874.	34	5
William S. Baird.....	1832	Frederick o., Va.....	August 3, 1874.	59	32
Lorenzo D. Nixon.....	1854	Loudoun Co., Va.....	January 28, 1875.	63	21
James F. Liggett.....	1855	Churchville, Va.....	April, 1875.	44	20
Fonshee C. Tebbs.....	1-45	Woolsville, Md.....	November 18, 1875.	55	30
Jason P. Etchison.....	1852	Arlington, Md.....	May 31, 1876.	55	24
Norval Wilson.....	18 1	New Charlestown, W. Va....	August 9, 1876.	73	55
Henry C. Pitzer.....	1872	Covington, Va.....	February 8, 1877.	32	5
William G. Coe.....	1851	Lewisburg, Va.....	March 29, 1877.	45	23
Dabney Ball.....	1843	Baltimore City.....	February 15, 1878.	58	35
William J. Perry.....	1858	Staunton, Va.....	May 12, 1878.	39	20
John N. Gray.....	1860	Hampshire Co., W. Va.....	October 18, 1878.	.....	18
George G. Brooke.....	1829	Berryville, Va.....	December 8, 1878.	69	49
James Higgins.....	1867	Baltimore City.....	February 13, 1879.	70	12
Thos. B. Sargent.....	1825	Baltimore City.....	October 13, 1879.	74	54
Wm. H. Wheelwright.....	1846	Warren Co., Va.....	December 17, 1879.	55	33
Michael P. Scanlan.....	1874	Waverly, Md.....	December 26, 1879.	26	5
John L. Gilbert.....	1842	Brucetown, Va.....	January 28, 1880.	61	38
Ezra F. Busey.....	1842	Baltimore City.....	May 13, 1880.	60	38
Jehu Hank.....	1828	Monroe Co., W. Va.....	July 7, 1880.	79	52
Enoch G. Jamison.....	1841	Newport, Va.....	December 10, 1880.	.....	39
Benjamin Arbogast.....	1857	Winchester, Va.....	March 31, 1881.	50	24
George B. Allen.....	1861	Harford Co., Md.....	September 4, 1881.	51	20
Samuel Regester.....	1840	Prince George's Co., Md....	October 17, 1881.	63	41
S. Samuel Roszell.....	1838	Fauquier Co., Va.....	April 27, 1882.	69	44
John Poisal.....	1827	Baltimore City.....	June 25, 1882.	75	55
Edward G. Vandiver.....	1875	Lewisburg, W. Va.....	September 3, 1883.	31	7
Samuel Kepler.....	1827	Baltimore City.....	August 1, 1884.	80	57
William H. Wilson.....	1844	Washington City.....	1884.	60	40
Charles L. Torreyson.....	1859	Fairfield, Va.....	April 29, 1885.	52	26
Alexander B. Blue.....	1876	Rockbridge Baths, Va.....	June 6, 1885.	34	9
James H. March.....	1842	Middletown, Va.....	July 30, 1885.	65	43
George M. Lightner.....	1838	Falmouth, Va.....	February 14, 1886.	81	18
Frank M. Strother.....	1877	Markham, Va.....	October 29, 1886.	34	9
Leonidas R. Green.....	1876	Roanoke City, Va.....	November 23, 1886.	33	10
William L. Lynch.....	1872	Berryville, Va.....	March 26, 1887.	45	15
S. Holland Engle, (prob.)..	1886	Berryville, Va.....	June 12, 1887.	22	1
Thomas Hildebrand.....	18-8	Monterey, Va.....	November 28, 1887.	71	49
Joseph N. Spangler.....	1845	Baltimore City.....	December 27, 1887.	67	42
James Beaty.....	1850	Moorefield, W. Va.....	April 18, 1888.	61	38
John S. Martin.....	1835	Baltimore City.....	July 8, 1888.	73	53
William R. Stringer.....	1853	Reisterstown, Md.....	November 15, 1888.	54	33
Lewis C. Miller.....	1863	Harrisonburg, Va.....	April 25, 1889.	49	26
Gilson Mauzy.....	1851	Rockingham Co., Va.....	November, 1889.	75	38
George R. Jefferson.....	1855	Parnassus, Va.....	January 8, 1890.	57	35
Wm. T. Quinn.....	1856	Baltimore City.....	February 26, 1890.	61	34
Andrew Robey.....	1860	Edinburg, Va.....	March 14, 1890.	67	30
Paris M. Henderson, (Pr.)	1889	Catawba, Roanoke Co., Va....	April 13, 1890.	22	1
Samuel S. Troy.....	1882	Franklin, Va.....	July 12, 1890.	29	8
Maurice C. Mehrling, (Pr)	1884	Near Frederick City, Md....	September 13, 1890.	22	2
John W. Ewan.....	1853	Washington, D. C.....	December 29, 1890.	59	38
Alfred A. Eskridge.....	1830	Staunton, Va.....	January 16, 1891.	92	62
Francis A. Richey.....	1843	Woodstock, Va.....	February 21, 1891.	73	48
Henry Hoffman.....	1841	Keyser, W. Va.....	January 12, 1892.	78	51
John Landstreet.....	1848	Martinsburg, W. Va.....	1891.	73	48
Presley B. Smith.....	1853	California.....	1891.	.....	.....
Edward F. Heterick.....	1857	Frederick Co., Va.....	May 28, 1891.	70	34
John C. Dice.....	1848	Upperville, Va.....	April 5, 1892.	71	44
R. Stewart Cunningham..	1877	Monterey, Va.....	December 22, 1892.	38	16
Sam'l D. Beunington.....	1891	Springfield, W. Va.....	September 20, 1892.	61	1
Charles M. Brown.....	1875	Front Royal, Va.....	June 7, 1893.	.....	18
George Stevenson.....	1841	Stephens' City, Va.....	July 8, 1893.	.....	52
William W. Hedrick.....	1875	Newport, Va.....	October 10, 1893.	.....	18
Samuel W. Haddaway.....	1869	Washington, D. C.....	October 26, 1893.	.....	24
William A. Wade.....	1868	Washington, D. C.....	December 4, 1893.	.....	25

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

The Board of Missions of the Baltimore Conference during the past year has furnished financial help to the following charges, viz:

Wilkins Avenue, Emory, Boyd's, Brunswick, North Baltimore, Easton and Caroline, Church Hill, Charles, West Harford, East Harford, Epworth, Marvin, Fauquier, Sudley, Manassas, Morrisville, Strasburg, White Post, Edinburg, Warren, Page, Linden, Darksville, Frederick, Shenandoah, Fairfield and Baths, Bell's Valley, New Market, Mt. Jackson, Port Republic, Markesville, West Augusta, Grace, Elliston, New Castle, James River, Wesley Chapel, Buena Vista, Collierstown, Alleghany, Millboro' and Shiloh, Gillets, Hot Springs, Alvon, Talcott, Greenville, Petersburg, Franklin, Frostburg, Morgan, Gainsboro', Wardensville and Listonburg.

These charges report: 11,852 members, 1,094 net gain, 1,449 conversions, 1,372 additions, 176 Sunday Schools, 1,404 officers and teachers, 9,819 scholars, 914 baptisms, \$21,072 contributed on ministerial support, and \$4,191 on disciplinary collections.

It must be evident from this summary of results that the money expended has been well invested. Some of these charges require a very small sum from the Board to give their pastors a comfortable living, while others need a more liberal amount. The good done in either case amply justifies the expenditure, and it is hoped that the Church realizes the importance of sustaining this department of its benevolent work. While not asked to lessen his interest in and contributions towards the foreign mission fields, every member of the Church should readily help to swell the sum demanded to support the mission fields within the territory of our own Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

J. L. SHIPLEY, *Secretary.*

Fredericksburg, Va., March 30, 1894.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Assessments and Payments by Districts.

DISTRICTS.	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Baltimore.....	\$2,246 00	\$1,857 00	\$1,387 00	\$1,025 00
East Baltimore.....	1,901 00	1,344 00	1,174 00	776 00
Washington	2,208 00	1,848 83	1,363 00	999 00
Winchester	1,920 00	1,338 25	1,185 00	789 00
Rockingham.....	1,388 00	976 80	856 00	491 00
Roanoke.....	2,070 00	1,456 00	1,277 00	796 00
Lewisburg.....	1,384 00	822 00	855 00	447 00
Moorefield.....	1,383 00	965 00	853 00	555 51
	\$14,500 00	\$10,607 88	\$8,950 00	\$5,874 51

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS FOR 1893 AND 1894.

DISTRICTS.	Foreign and Domestic. 1893.	Foreign and Domestic. 1894.	Increase.	Decrease.
Baltimore.....	\$2,919 00	\$2,882 00	.....	\$ 37 00
East Baltimore.....	2,078 00	2,120 00	\$42 00	.....
Washington.....	2,793 00	2,847 83	54 83	.....
Winchester.....	2,174 00	2,127 25	.....	46 75
Rockingham.....	1,636 00	1,467 80	.....	168 20
Roanoke.....	2,318 00	2,252 00	.....	66 00
Lewisburg.....	1,365 00	1,269 00	.....	96 00
Moorefield.....	1,542 00	1,516 00	.....	26 00
Total. ....	.....	.....	\$96 83	\$439 95 96 83
Net.....	.....	.....	.....	\$343 12

DISBURSEMENTS FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

DISTRICTS.	ALLOWED	PAID.
BALTIMORE DISTRICT.		
Wilkins' Avenue, L. W. Haslup.	\$300 00	\$204 00
Emory, F. H. Shipley.....	225 00	153 00
Brunswick, A. A. Boude..	300 00	204 00
Gaithersburg and Boyd's, E. H. Henry.....	.....	126 00
	\$825 00	\$687 00
EAST BALTIMORE DISTRICT.		
North Baltimore, J. H. Wells.....	\$300 00	\$204 00
West Harford, S. B. Dolly.....	200 00	136 00
East Harford, W. A. McDonald.....	150 00	102 00
Church Hill, J. L. Grant.....	150 00	102 00
Easton and Caroline, C. D. Harris....	150 00	102 00
Charles, J. C. Sedwick.....	200 00	136 00
	\$1,150 00	\$782 00
WASHINGTON DISTRICT.		
Epworth, J. C. Jones.....	\$150 00	\$102 00
Marvin, Augustus Davisson.....	150 00	102 00
Fauquier, W. E. Miller.....	150 00	102 00
Morrisville, J. O. Tackett.....	135 00	91 80
Sudley, A. Weller.....	125 00	85 00
Manassas, W. O. Ross.....	170 00	115 60
	\$880 00	\$598 40

DISBURSEMENTS FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS.—*Concluded.*

DISTRICTS.	ALLOWED	PAID.
WINCHESTER DISTRICT.		
Strasburg, Q. A. Wheat.....	\$200	\$136 00
Frederick, F. Furr.....	175	119 00
Edenburg, H. S. Coe.....	200	136 00
Warren, W. Watts.....	100	68 00
Linden, H. A. Wilson.....	50	34 00
Page, H. L. Hout.....	125	85 00
White Post, S. R. Snapp.....	150	102 00
Darksville, J. H. Wolff.....	100	68 00
	\$1,100	\$748 00
ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT.		
West Augusta, A. C. McNeer.....	\$200	\$136 00
Port Republic, J. K. Gilbert.....	75	51 00
Shenandoah, L. Butt.....	225	153 00
New Market, J. S. Porter.....	200	136 00
Mt. Jackson, J. S. Hopkins.....	150	102 00
Markesville, W. J. Whitesell.....	50	34 00
Fairfield, P. S. E. Sixeas.....	75	51 00
Bell's Valley, H. D. Bishop.....	175	119 00
New Hope, T. J. Milier.....	.....	25 00
	\$1,150	\$802 00
ROANOKE DISTRICT.		
Elliston, W. H. H. Joyce.....	\$100	\$ 68 00
New Castle, J. W. Canter.....	200	136 00
James River, O. F. Burgess.....	100	68 00
Buena Vista, J. D. Martin....	200	136 00
Wesley Chapel, L. H. Graybill.....	150	102 00
Collierstown, H. L. Myerly.....	75	51 00
Grace, John S. Engle.....	.....	225 00
	\$825	\$786 00
LEWISBURG DISTRICT.		
Greenville, H. M. Roane....	\$ 50	\$ 34 00
Talcott, J. J. Crickenberger.....	200	136 00
Allegheny, J. W. McNeil.....	150	102 00
Alvon, J. T. Maxwell.....	300	204 00
Hot Springs, W. T. Gover.....	100	68 00
Millboro' and Shiloh, J. M. Eavey.....	200	136 00
Gilletts, J. L. McNeer.....	170	115 60
	\$1,170	\$795 60
MOOREFIELD DISTRICT.		
Petersburg, I. G. Michael.....	\$125	\$ 85 00
Franklin, S. Townsend.....	200	136 00
Frostburg, W. A. Sites.....	75	51 00
Morgan, M. M. Long....	150	102 00
Gainesboro', L. R. Markwood.....	125	85 00
Wardensville, W. H. Marsh.....	125	85 00
Listonburg, A. C. Hamill.....	125	85 00
	\$925 00	\$629 00

AMOUNTS RECEIVED ON MISSION DEBT, FOR CONFERENCE
YEAR OF 1893 AND 1894, UNDER THE MORRISON AND
LAMBUTH CALLS.

APPOINTMENTS.	Morrison Call.	Lambuth Call.	Total.
Moorefield Circuit.....		\$23 00	\$23 00
Shenandoah.....		6 00	6 00
Elkton.....		1 00	1 00
Baths.....		5 00	5 00
Augusta.....		5 00	5 00
Parnassus and Mt. Sidney.....		10 00	10 00
Basic City.....		5 00	5 00
Waynesboro.....		5 00	5 00
Ronceverte and White Sulphur.....		13 00	13 00
Fredericksburg.....	\$10 00		10 00
Talcott.....	10 00		10 00
Wesley Chapel.....		5 00	5 00
Marvin.....	5 00		5 00
Central.....	20 00	52 00	72 00
Augusta ..		5 00	5 00
Luray.....		5 00	5 00
East Rockingham.....		5 00	5 00
Frederick City.....		7 00	7 00
West River.....		10 00	10 00
Kent.....		7 44	7 44
Severn.....		5 00	5 00
North Baltimore.....		11 00	11 00
East Harford.....		2 00	2 00
Falls' Church.....		43 00	43 00
Manassas.....		6 00	6 00
Epworth.....		10 00	10 00
Occoquan.....		5 00	5 00
Dranesville.....		5 00	5 00
White Post ..		5 00	5 00
Elkton.....		10 00	10 00
Staunton.....		10 00	10 00
Harrisonburg.....		10 00	10 00
Huntersville ..		8 00	8 00
Gilletts.....		3 00	3 00
Hinton ..		10 00	10 00
Alleghany.....		2 00	2 00
McDowell.....		5 00	5 00
Lewisburg.....		8 00	8 00
Union.....		10 00	10 00
Hillsboro, Maryland.....		9 00	9 00
Marvin.....		22 00	22 00
Laurel.....		1 00	1 00
Beltsville.....		11 00	11 00
Patuxent ..		15 00	15 00
Linganore ..		17 00	17 00
Rockville.....		10 00	10 00
Frankford.....		10 00	10 00
	\$45 00	\$432 44	\$477 44

STATEMENT OF DEBT BY DISTRICTS.

DISTRICTS.	Assessed.	Paid in 1892-93.	Paid in 1893-94.	Total Paid.	Deficit.	Excess.
Baltimore	\$800 00	\$644 00	\$133 00	\$777 00	\$ 22 00	.....
East Baltimore...	750 00	430 00	44 44	474 44	275 56	.....
Washington	900 00	622 11	106 00	728 11	171 89	.....
Winchester	750 00	417 04	5 00	422 04	327 96	.....
Rockingham.. ...	600 00	530 50	82 00	612 50	.....	12 50
Roanoke	700 00	330 00	5 00	335 00	365 00	.....
Lewisburg	500 00	118 00	74 00	192 00	308 00	.....
*Moorefield	600 00	230 00	*38 00	268 00	332 00	.....
Total.....	\$5,600 00	\$3,321 65	\$487 44	\$3,809 09	\$1,803 41	\$12 50
Less excess...	.....	.....	.....	.....	12 50	.....
Actual deficit.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$1,790 91	.....

*In the minutes of 1892-93, ten dollars (\$10) on the Morrison Call, paid by Geo. T. Tyler for R. S. Cunningham, Monterey, W. Va., was erroneously credited to some other appointment. As Monterey is entitled to the credit, the amount has been paid by the Treasurer and appears in the account for 1893-94.

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RECAPITULATION AND BALANCE.

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To balance, 1892-93.....	\$ 183 70	Additional amount paid to G. R. Mays, order of Board	\$ 25 00
To collection at Front Royal, Va	56 88	<i>Amount paid to—</i> Baltimore District.	687 00
<i>To amount from—</i> Baltimore District....	2,882 00	East Balto. "	782 00
East Balto. "	2,120 00	Washington "	598 40
Washington "	2,847 83	Winchester "	748 00
Winchester "	2,127 25	Rockingham "	807 00
Rockingham "	1,467 80	Roanoke "	786 00
Roanoke "	2,252 00	Lewisburg "	795 60
Lewisburg "	1,269 00	Moorefield "	629 00
Moorefield "	1,516 00	Parent Board.....	10,636 32
Mission debt.....	487 44	Parent Board, Mission debt	487 44
		Bal. on hand Apr. 2, '94..	228 14
Total.....	\$17,209 90	Total.....	\$17,209 90

SPECIAL NOTES.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Mt. Vernon Place Church, Washington, D. C., contributed \$53.87 of the amount raised for missions, and the Young Men's Christian Society contributed \$70 to support a helper to W. A. Davis in Japan.

Alexandria Station Sunday-school raised \$274.62 of the amount assessed for missions.

Keyser Station paid \$45 to Rev. J. T. Myers, Missionary to Japan. This was in addition to the amounts paid on assessments and for mission debt.

ASSESSMENTS FOR 1894 AND 1895.

DISTRICTS.	MISSIONS.		
	Foreign.	Domestic.	Total.
Baltimore.....	\$ 2,182	\$1,346	\$ 3,528
East Baltimore.....	1,917	1,183	3,100
Washington.....	2,291	1,414	3,705
Winchester.....	1,875	1,156	3,031
Rockingham.....	1,513	933	2,446
Roanoke.....	1,892	1,167	3,059
Lewisburg.....	1,374	848	2,222
Moorefield.....	1,456	898	2,354
	\$14,500	\$8,945	\$23,445

APPROPRIATIONS FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS FOR THE YEAR
1894 AND 1895.

<i>Baltimore District.</i>		<i>Rockingham District.</i>	
Wilkins Avenue.....	\$ 300	Shenandoah.....	\$225
Brunswick.....	600	Fairfield.....	75
Emory.....	225	Bell's Valley.....	175
Frederick Avenue, (cont.)	200	New Market.....	200
	<hr/> \$ 1325	Mt. Jackson.....	150
		Port Republic.....	75
		Markesville.....	50
		West Augusta.....	200
			<hr/> \$1150
<i>East Baltimore District.</i>		<i>Roanoke District.</i>	
North Baltimore.....	\$ 300	Grace.....	\$400
Easton and Caroline, (for		Elliston.....	100
Caroline).....	250	New Castle.....	200
Charles.....	200	Buena Vista.....	200
West Harford.....	200	Rockbridge.....	75
East Harford.....	150	Collierstown.....	75
Church Hill.....	150	Amsterdam.....	175
	<hr/> 1250		<hr/> 1225
<i>Washington District.</i>		<i>Lewisburg District.</i>	
Marvin.....	\$200	Alleghany.....	\$150
Fauquier.....	150	Millboro.....	200
Occoquan.....	150	Gilletts.....	170
Morrisville....	150	Hot Springs.....	100
Manassas.....	200	Alvon.....	300
Stafford.....	100	Talcott.....	150
N.W. Washington, (cont.)	200	Greenville.....	50
	<hr/> 1150		<hr/> 1120
<i>Winchester District.</i>		<i>Moorefield District.</i>	
Strasburg....	\$200	Petersburg.....	\$125
White Post....	150	Franklin.....	100
Edenburg.....	200	Frostburg.....	100
Warren.....	100	Morgan ..	150
Page.....	125	Gainsboro.....	125
Linden.....	50	Wardensville ...	125
Frederick.....	175		<hr/> 725
	<hr/> 1000		
<hr/> Grand Total.....\$8,945. <hr/>			

Since the adjournment of Conference \$75.00 has been paid from Domestic Missions, by order of the Conference Board, leaving a balance in the Treasurer's hands of \$153.14. This amount will pay about 1.9 cents on the dollar of the appropriation for 1893 and 1894.

Respectfully submitted,

J. E. ALEXANDER, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY.
BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.

*To the Bishop and Members of the Baltimore Annual Conference
of the M. E. Church, South.*

Dear Fathers and Brethren :

The year just closed upon the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baltimore Conference has been, in many respects, a prosperous one. No increase of membership can be reported, but there has been evidenced a deeper interest in mission work and a greater willingness to labor for the cause. This is shown in the fact that, in spite of depressing times, our receipts for this year are nearly *three hundred dollars* in excess of those of last year.

The Woman's Board of Missions, last June, asked the women of the church to raise \$100,000 during the year. In response to this appeal our society has raised \$2,733.

Our membership is 2,391; adults, 1,661; juveniles, 730; subscribers to "*Woman's Missionary Advocate*," 347; to juvenile paper, "*The Little Worker*," 96.

We have started a circulating library, and expect this to be an efficient means of disseminating missionary information and furthering the interests of our work. Our fifteenth annual meeting was held in Luray, Va., October 7th to 11th, 1893.

An unusually large delegation was in attendance, and also a goodly number of visitors. Among the latter was Mrs. A. W. Wilson, who addressed the society on the subject of our Eastern work.

The annual sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. T. W. Brown. The singing by the choir was, at all the services, exceptionally fine. The kind people of Luray opened their hearts and homes to the members of the society and dispensed a liberal hospitality.

Brother Brown proved himself in entire sympathy with our work, and ministers of other denominations cheered us by their presence and good words.

Our next meeting will be held in Berryville, Va.

ALICE H. STROTHER,
Conf. Cor. Sec'y.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY,
BALTIMORE CONFERENCE, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.

From March, 1893, to March, 1894.

Received for general fund from adult and juvenile societies....	\$2,220 11
Thank-offerings.....	79 57
Scholarships.....	180 00
Day School in China.....	100 00
Training School.....	23 62
"Little Worker" fund.....	64 20
Expenses of new Missionaries.....	28 43
Mexico.....	9 62
Mite boxes.....	27 49
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	\$2,733 04
Remitted to Mrs. H. McTyeire, Treasurer.	\$1,438 74
Miss Bennett.....	9 12
On hand for Training School.....	14 50
Day School in China	44 55
Receipts for present quarter.....	1,226 13
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	\$2,733 04
Receipts for Contingent Expense Fund....	\$161 15
Expenses of Conference Society.....	171 67
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Balance, March, 1894	\$43 48

REPORT OF THE JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH, 1894.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Receipts.

To Balance on hand last year as per report.....	\$ 205 23
To Bishop's Fund.....	1,952 00
To Superannuated Fund.....	8,446 00
To Educational Fund.....	1,208 00
To Bible Collection.....	207 00
To Expenses of Delegates to General Conference	910 00
To Produce of Publishing House.....	770 00
To Interest from Colvin Fund.....	28 00
To Interest from Miss Wilkins' Donation.....	80 00
To Interest from Miss Fulton's Donation.....	58 50
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	\$13,864 73

Disbursed.

Paid Bishops.....	\$ 1,952 00
Paid Superannuated.....	9,328 00
Paid Randolph-Macon College.....	1,208 00
Paid Bible Societies.....	207 00
Paid Agents Publishing House for Gen. Con. Col ...	910 00
Paid for Secretary's Blanks.....	5 00
By Balance on hand	254 73
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	\$13,864 73.

Comparative Receipts.

	1893.	1894.	Increase.	Decrease.
Bishop's Fund.....	\$1,942 00	\$ 1,952 00	\$10 00
Superannuated Fund.....	8,931 00	8,446 00	.....	485 00
Educational Fund.	1,330 00	1,208 00	.....	122 00
Bible Fund.....	170 00	207 00	37 00	.....

Payment per Member.

Baltimore District.....	41 cents.
East Baltimore District.....	40 "
Washington District.....	31 "
Winchester District	24 "
Rockingham District	21 "
Roanoke District.....	25 "
Lewisburg District.....	22 "
Moorefield District.....	22 "

Estimates for 1894 and 1895.

DISTRICTS.	Bishops.	Sup'd.	Educa.	Paine and Lane Institute.
Baltimore District.....	\$ 372 00	\$1,723 00	\$ 300 00	\$ 75 00
East Baltimore District.....	326 00	1,516 00	264 00	66 00
Washington District.....	391 00	1,815 00	316 00	79 00
Winchester District.....	319 00	1,493 00	260 00	65 00
Rockingham District.....	266 00	1,210 00	208 00	52 00
Roanoke District.....	322 00	1,495 00	260 00	65 00
Lewisburg District.....	233 00	1,104 00	192 00	48 00
Moorefield District.....	246 00	1,144 00	200 00	50 00
	\$2,475 00	\$11,500 00	\$2,000 00	\$500 00

Claimants for 1894-'95.

Mrs. John Trone, Mrs. W. G. Cross, Mrs. W. S. Baird, Mrs. L. D. Nixon, Mrs. J. F. Liggett, Mrs. Jos. Aiken, Mrs. J. P. Etchison, Mrs. W. H. Wheelwright, Mrs. W. J. Perry, Mrs. W. G. Coe, Mrs. H. C. Pitzer, Mrs. Geo. G. Brooke, Mrs. G. B. Allen, Mrs. J. H. March, Mrs. J. W. Vandiver, Mrs. A. B. Blue, Mrs. C. L. Torreyson, J. W. Tongue, Mrs. T. Hildebrand, Mrs. F. H. Richey, J. M. Grandin, M. G. Balthis, David Thomas, J. M. Follansbee, Mrs. W. A. Wade, Mrs. R. S. Cunningham, Aaron Boone, Mrs. John Landstreet, Nelson Head, Wesley Hammond, F. M. Mills, Mrs. L. R. Green, Mrs. H. Hoffman, Mrs. W. R. Stringer, Robert Smith, W. L. Lynch's child, Mrs. J. S. Martin, Mrs. S. Regester, Mrs. L. C. Miller, Wm. Hedges, W. T. Quinn's children, Robt. Ross, C. G. Linthicum, Mrs. S. S. Troy, F. A. Mercer, J. H. Waugh, J. H. Temple, J. W. Wolff, C. L. Dameron, Mrs. S. W. Haddaway, Mrs. C. M. Brown.

REPORT No. 1, BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Randolph-Macon Colleges and Academies

The four institutions bearing the Randolph-Macon name, and under the control of one board of trustees representative of the Virginia and Baltimore Conferences, are not only worthy exponents of the progressive spirit of our church, but factors of inestimable value in the accomplishment of its mission in the advancement of the Kingdom of Christ. The success which has attended their work thus far, the high position which they occupy in the confidence both of educators and the public, and their bright promise for the future, demonstrate the wisdom of the policy of unity and concentrated effort under which they have been conducted. They are not burdens to be borne by the church, but instruments of power in its hands.

The enrollment of students the present session is 470. The total value of the properties held is over \$600,000. The total receipts and expenditures for the year are about \$75,000. We call attention to these facts as showing the magnitude of this work, and its claim upon the appreciative interest and earnest support of the Conference.

The religious spirit and work of these institutions is recognized as a matter of supreme importance by the officers in charge; and it is especially gratifying to note the large number of their students that have this year been won to the Christian life.

At Randolph-Macon College the number of matriculates, despite the stringency of the times, is slightly greater than last year. The students from the territory of the Baltimore Conference represent 29 pastoral charges, leaving 119 charges without a representative at the college. These facts would seem to indicate that, with increased effort, a much larger patronage might be secured.

The hearty co-operation of the Conference in the earnest and vigorous canvass of the Principal of the Front Royal Academy has resulted in a remarkable increase of attendance at that institution, the number of students having risen from 65 last year to 109 for the present session. The work of instruction has been faithful and effective; and the school is worthy of the full confidence and support of our people.

The Woman's College at Lynchburg, in its management and course of instruction, has conformed to the plan under which it was organized, as a college of equal grade with Randolph-Macon College, at Ashland. No students are admitted as boarders whose preparation would not entitle them to admission there. The college is conducted in sympathy and co-operation with our own Conference school, the Wesleyan Female Institute. The enrollment of students for this, the first year of its existence, is 106, and we think it may already be regarded as both an educational and a financial success. We would especially emphasize the fact that the Woman's College is not simply one more school for young ladies, but occupies a position and does a work not attempted by any other institution in the South. It is, in the true sense, a college; and we regard the prosperity which attends its opening session as the augury of an honorable and useful future.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Conference at its last annual session :

WHEREAS, The Conference has, by resolution at two successive sessions, pledged its co-operation with the President and Trustees of Randolph-Macon College in a special effort to raise the sum of \$40,000 for Randolph-Macon College; and,

WHEREAS, The Wesleyan Female Institute, the property of this Conference, is in urgent need of financial aid; therefore,

Be it resolved (1), That a canvass of the Conference shall be made, during this year, to secure the sum of \$50,000, of which \$10,000 shall be paid to the Trustees of Wesleyan Female Institute, to be applied to the payment of the debt of that institution; \$10,000 to the Trustees of Randolph-Macon Academy at Front Royal; and \$30,000 to the endowment of the chair of Biblical Literature in Randolph-Macon College; each of these funds to receive proportionally as collections shall be made.

Resolved (2), That the Rev. P. H. Whisner, the Rev. R. Smithson, T. T. Fishburne, Geo. R. Hill, and M. L. Walton, in conjunction with the President of Randolph-Macon College, the President of Wesleyan Female Institute, and the Principal of the Front Royal Academy, be appointed a committee to devise plans and organize the canvass called for in the foregoing resolution.

Resolved (3), That this committee shall have authority to call upon as many as twenty members of the Conference to assist in this canvass, and that the churches supplied by these ministers be requested to release them for this important service, not exceeding four Sabbaths, distributed over the period of two months.

We greatly regret that the peculiar financial condition of the country has prevented the committee from carrying out the purpose of the Conference as expressed in these resolutions. The need is as great as it was last year, and even more urgent. We, therefore, recommend to the Conference the re-adoption of the resolutions, with the following amendment, viz, that the first resolution shall read as follows:

Resolved (1), That a canvass of the Conference shall be made during the year, to secure the sum of \$60,000, of which \$15,000 shall be paid to the Trustees of Wesleyan Female Institute, to be applied to the payment of the debt of that institution; \$15,000 to the Trustees of Randolph-Macon Academy, at Front Royal; and \$30,000 to the endowment of the chair of Biblical Literature in Randolph-Macon College; each of these to receive proportionally, as collections shall be made.

We also recommend the usual assessment of \$2,000 for Randolph-Macon College.

H. H. KENNEDY, *President.*

W. H. BALLENGEE, *Secretary.*

REPORT No. 2, BOARD OF EDUCATION

Wesleyan Female Institute.

We feel gratified to report that this institute has had a successful session thus far, since September, 1893.

It has an enrollment of 75 boarding and 33 day pupils, or 108 in all.

There have been added in the way of permanent improvements to buildings, &c., \$3,007.15; musical instruments, &c., \$1,559.96; furniture, &c., \$2,630.25; laboratory, \$106.19; making a total increase in the value of school property, \$7,297.55.

The present bonded debt of the institute, is \$21,267.58, all of which is now long past due; the interest, however, has been paid in full to January 1, 1894.

The standard of the course of study has been raised very considerably, and the institute is now equipped with a corps of teachers who, as far as can be ascertained, are thoroughly in sympathy with the management, and who are in every way qualified to fill the position they hold.

All of the teachers, without a single exception, are members of the Methodist Church, and exert an influence for good that can not be overestimated. As a partial result of this goodly influence, seventeen young ladies have professed a saving faith in Christ, since the opening of the present session.

The general tone of the school has been very much improved, both in a musical and literary way.

This financial report shows that the present session will, after paying all current expenses, and paying the interest on its mortgage bonds, leave a net gain of several hundred dollars, and after carefully looking into the affairs of the school under the new management, we feel fully warranted in making the statement that the Board of Trustees made a wise choice when they selected Prof. W. W. Robertson as President of the Wesleyan Female Institute.

As an evidence of the appreciation of the school by the people of Staunton and of their hearty co-operation with the new management, we are pleased to note the fact that there has been subscribed by them \$10,445 towards the liquidation of the bonded debt of the institute, which, however, was subscribed under certain conditions.

In order that these conditions may be complied with, and in order that the balance of the bonded debt may be provided for, and that the further necessary improvements, such as putting in new heating apparatus, etc., be made to the school property, it is an absolute necessity that the Conference take immediate steps to provide at least \$15,000 in addition to the amount already subscribed by the people of Staunton.

A resolution looking towards this provision was embodied in our report of Randolph-Macon College, presented Saturday, March 31, which report, we trust, will receive the hearty co-operation of the entire Conference, to the end that the Wesleyan Institute, our Conference school, may be relieved of its present embarrassment and that its influence for good may be widened each year.

Finally, we desire to say that the intellectual, moral and religious training which our young ladies receive in this institution, cannot be too highly

appreciated, and that our Conference should use its every effort toward providing said institute with all necessary accommodations that would aid in making it more and more the pride of the Baltimore Conference.

H. H. KENNEDY, *President.*

W. H. BALLENGEE, *Secretary.*

REPORT No. 3, BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Valley Female College.

The Valley Female College, located at Winchester, Va., under the control of Rev. J. P. Hyde, D. D., possesses excellent advantages for the education of young ladies. The location is attractive and healthful. The president and his accomplished wife give careful attention to the comfort and welfare of the pupils. The study of physics and chemistry is greatly facilitated by the use of improved apparatus and advanced methods of instruction. The religious opportunities are excellent. All these and other advantages combine to make this institution worthy of continued patronage, and we recommend it to our people in its vicinity.

Ministerial Education.

The Board has received no applications for aid in ministerial education during the past year, and no appropriations have been made. A small amount of money remains in the treasury. We again most heartily recommend this cause to the Church, and bespeak for it a liberal financial support whenever this may be needed.

We recommend the following appointments: J. A. Kern, Professor in Randolph-Macon College; B. W. Bond, Principal of Randolph-Macon Academy at Front Royal; Collins Denny, Professor in Vanderbilt University; J. P. Hyde, President of Valley Female College.

H. H. KENNEDY, *President.*

W. H. BALLENGEE, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Sunday School Board submits the following report:

STATISTICS.

Number of Sunday Schools, 538; number of officers and teachers, 5,190; number of scholars, 38,195; amounts raised in schools for missions, \$9,612; total amounts raised in schools, \$22,535.

We report an increase of \$750 in amount raised in schools for missions, and an increase of 761 in the number of Sunday School scholars.

We would emphasize the importance of statistics of Sunday School work, and request pastors and superintendents to furnish promptly any information that the Secretary of the Sunday School Board may ask for.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

We are convinced that organization and constant employment in church work is the best means of interesting our young people in the Church, and, therefore, recommend the organization of leagues, where another doing the same work is not already organized.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL METHODS.

We earnestly recommend the early training in systematic giving, and recommend the adoption by all our Sunday-School Missionary Societies of the envelope system prepared by G. L. Stevens.

We recommend the careful study of the lessons *at home*, and the constant use of the Bible in the class, by both teachers and scholars.

We think it very desirable that our Sunday-school periodicals should be made bright and attractive, so as to compare more favorably with the publications of other churches.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL ROOMS.

We would call the attention of all our people who contemplate building or improving churches to the importance of providing separate rooms adapted to the work of the Sunday-school. "A Sunday-school room for every school" should be the motto of the church.

Reference to our catalogue of plans will also show that a separate room for the Sunday-school can be built at comparatively small additional cost.

NEEDY SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

We regret to report a further decrease in the collections on Children's Day for needy schools. All applications for assistance should be sent to H. S. Dulany, 300 West Lombard street, Baltimore, Md.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The Board has appointed M. L. Walton President of the Convention, and the following Executive Committee: M. L. Walton, ex-officio, J. A. Anderson, J. P. Houck, E. S. Conrad, J. H. Light, H. S. Dulany, J. W. Grubb, G. J. Cunningham, Judge McWhorter, G. L. Stevens, and J. H. Markwood.

The following program was adopted:

Opening Sermon, Rev. W. K. Marshall; alternate, Rev. C. S. Stanton.

FIRST DAY.

9.30 A. M.—Opening and organization of Convention.

10.00 A. M.—Address of welcome, Edward S. Conrad. Response, M. L. Walton.

11.00 A. M.—"How we got our English Bible," J. A. Kern, D. D.

3.00 P. M.—General topic: "Teachers and Teaching."

(1.) The Teacher: "Character and Qualifications," G. L. Stevens.

(2.) Preparation: "Helps and How to Use Them," Robert Magruder.

- 3.00 P. M.—(3.) Teaching—Suggestions for class work, Rev. J. M. Hawley.
 (4.) Open Parliaments—Questions and suggestions.
 8.00 P. M.—Sermon: "The Bible," Rev. J. W. Duffey.

SECOND DAY.

- 9.30 A. M.—Half hour of song and prayer. General topic: "Religious Culture of the Young."
 10.00 A. M.—(1) "The Child and the Savior," J. H. Boyd, D.D.
 10.30 A. M.—(2) "The Child and the Church," W. F. Hamner.
 11.00 A. M.—(3) "The Teacher in Relation to the Religious Life of the Child," Rev. H. S. Coe.
 11.30 A. M.—(4) "Open Parliament."
 3.00 P. M.—(5) "The Child Invited," mass-meeting and evangelic services for the children, conducted by Rev. W. H. D. Harper.
 8.00 P. M.—(6) "The Home Back of the School," sermon to parent by Rev. H. H. Kennedy.

THIRD DAY.

- 9.30 A. M.—(1) "Opening and Business."
 10.00 A. M.—(2) "Epworth League and Missions."
 10.30 A. M.—(3) "Epworth League, Model Convention," Rev. J. H. Light.
 11.00 A. M.—(4) "History and Place of the League in the Work of the Church," Rev. F. J. Prettyman.
 11.30 A. M.—(5) "Open Parliament."
 3.00 P. M.—(6) "Missions, Purposes of Mission Work," address by Rev. Rumsey Smithson.
 3.30 P. M.—(7) "Plans for Mission Work in Schools," Rev. I. W. Canter; business session.
 —(8) Sermon: "Place of the Young in the Army of the Lord" Rev. J. O. Knott.

J. W. GRUBB, *Secretary*.J. H. LIGHT, *President*.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

The Treasurer of the Sunday School Board respectfully submits the following report for the year ending April 3, 1894:

Balance in hand March 27, 1893	\$146 79
Received as follows:	
Baltimore District—Upper Marlboro.....	\$ 5 00
Hyattsville	4 00
Reisterstown	2 56
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<i>East Baltimore District</i> —West Harford.....	\$ 2 00	
Trinity Station.....	14 00	
Calvary.....	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$19 00
<i>Washington District</i> —Fredericksburg.....	7 00	
Fauquier.....	8 00	
Loudoun... ..	11 12	
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<i>Winchester District</i> —Winchester.....	10 00	
Charlestown.....	2 90	
Shepherdstown.....	5 60	
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<i>Rockingham District</i> —Augusta.....	3 00	
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<i>Roanoke District</i> —Wesley Chapel.....	5 50	
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<i>Lewisburg District</i> —Covington.....	3 00	
Cash.....	5 00	
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Total receipts		\$238 47
Disbursed during the year as per vouchers returned by the Treasurer.....		77 79
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Balance on hand April 3, 1894.....		\$160 68

GEORGE J. CUNNINGHAM, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

With the approaching General Conference three quadrennia will have elapsed since the Church Extension movement was inaugurated among us. No enterprise of the Church, in comparatively so short a time, has borne more abundant fruit, or now promises a richer return for the future. During the successive years of its existence the Parent Board has dispensed its benefits with a liberal hand, multiplying houses of worship along our Western frontier and in other destitute portions of our work. In this general work the Conference Boards have been an important factor, contributing half their funds annually to this purpose. With the remainder they have greatly promoted and stimulated the erection of churches within their own borders. During the period referred to about half a million of dollars has been raised through the regular Conference collections for church building. To this must be added the amounts that have accrued from the several Loan Funds and special donations. Within eleven years upwards of 3,000 houses of worship have been erected through the agency of the general and local boards. This is about one-fourth of the entire number of churches owned and occupied by us as a religious denomination. Our own Conference has raised for this object \$25,653.00.

We regret that we cannot make a more encouraging report for the past year. The extreme stringency of the money market has seriously affected all the Conference collections; and yet, making due allowance for this cir-

cumstance, we are satisfied that, had the efforts to raise the assessments for this fund been proportioned to its important relation to the interests of the Church, we should not be under the necessity of reporting a falling off from last year's receipts. While we have less money to distribute, the demands upon us are beyond all precedent. Twenty-one churches, representing every District in the Conference, have applied for help this year. After laying aside three of them as less urgent than the rest, the remainder receive only a small proportion of the amounts asked for. The Board has done the very best it could do under the circumstances, and only regrets that it could not make a more liberal apportionment in every case.

We are convinced that our people are not yet educated to the full appreciation of this vitally important part of our Church work. We are glad, therefore, to announce that the Board has made arrangements to supply every clerical and lay member of the Conference with a copy of the "Church Extension Bulletin," and sincerely hope that those receiving this magazine, gratuitously, will seek to diffuse its circulation among our people. It is a quarterly of 16 pages, at the low price of 20 cents annually.

We refer to the Treasurer's report for a detailed statement of the financial operations of the Board. There is appended the report of the Woman's Parsonage Home Mission Society, showing a most encouraging progress in this arm of our work.

SAMUEL K. COX, *President.*

TREASURER'S REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION OF BALTIMORE ANNUAL CONFERENCE FOR THE YEAR 1893-4.

Receipts.

1893—March 25, balance cash on hand	\$	3	88
1894—April 2, cash received on assessments.....		2,092	00
Total.....		\$2,095	88

Disbursements.

1894—April 2.

Remitted to Parent Board	\$1,046	00
Paid Dr. Morton for subscription to "Church Extension Bulletin".....	20	00
Paid Dr. S. K. Cox for blanks, postage, &c....	3	20
Paid Dr. Morton for Secretary's book.....	1	25
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Balance for distribution.....	\$1,025	43

Appropriated to Churches.

Brunswick Church, Baltimore District.....	\$120	00
Trinity Church, Easton, East Baltimore District.....	110	00
Laurel Grove, East Baltimore District ...	25	00
Pleasant Valley, Washington District.....	60	00
Charlestown, Winchester District.....	115	00
New Hope, Winchester District.....	50	00

Mt. Hermon, Rockingham District.....	40 00
Jenning's Gap, Rockingham District.....	25 00
Hendrix Chapel, Rockingham District.....	30 00
Churchville, Rockingham District.....	25 00
Newcastle, Roanoke District.....	75 00
Mt. Pleasant, Roanoke District.....	50 00
New Hope, Lewisburg District.....	20 00
Gillett's, or Bath, Lewisburg District	40 00
Trinity, Lewisburg District	95 00
Bethel, Lewisburg District.....	40 00
Mt. Carlton, Moorefield District.....	75 00
Marvin Chapel, Moorefield District.....	30 00
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	\$1,025 00
Balance in Treasurer's hands.....	43
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	\$1,025 43

ASSESSMENTS AND PAYMENTS BY DISTRICTS.

DISTRICTS.	Assessed.	Paid.	Deficit.
Baltimore District.....	\$565 00	\$373 00	\$192 00
East Balto. ".....	448 00	258 00	190 00
Washington ".....	600 00	401 00	199 00
Winchester ".....	472 00	275 00	197 00
Rockingham ".....	404 00	198 00	206 00
Roanoke ".....	447 00	270 00	177 00
Lewisburg ".....	312 00	147 00	165 00
Moorefield ".....	352 00	178 00	174 00
Total	\$3,600 00	\$2,100 00	\$1,500 00

COMPARATIVE RECEIPTS FOR 1893 AND 1894.

DISTRICTS.	Paid in 1893.	Paid in 1894.	In- crease.	De- crease.
Baltimore District.....	\$400 00	\$373 00	.....	\$27 00
East Balto. ".....	282 00	258 00	.....	24 00
Washington ".....	439 00	401 00	.....	38 00
Winchester ".....	302 00	275 00	.....	27 00
Rockingham ".....	237 00	198 00	.....	39 00
Roanoke ".....	301 00	270 00	.....	31 00
Lewisburg ".....	205 00	147 00	.....	58 00
Moorefield ".....	177 00	178 00	1 00	...
Total.....	\$2,343 00	\$2,100 00	\$1 00	\$244 00

ASSESSMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1894-95.

Baltimore District.....	\$565 00
East Balto. ".....	448 00
Washington ".....	600 00
Winchester ".....	472 00
Rockingham ".....	404 00
Roanoke ".....	447 00
Lewisburg ".....	312 00
Moorefield ".....	352 00
Total.....	\$3,600 00

P. V. D. CONWAY, *Treasurer.*ANNUAL REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE WOMAN'S PAR-
SONAGE AND HOME MISSION SOCIETY OF THE
BALTIMORE CONFERENCE OF THE M. E.
CHURCH, SOUTH.

Amount received by dues and special donations.....	\$438 82
Amount reported for local work, &c., in auxiliaries.....	198 83
	<u>\$637 65</u>

Received by Treasurer.

Balance on hand, March 20, 1893.....	\$162 03
Received by dues, special donations, &c.....	438 82
	<u>\$600 85</u>

Paid Out.

Special donations, and 50 per cent. of dues forwarded to General Treasurer.....	\$224 09
Assistance rendered two parsonages, viz:	
Buena Vista, Virginia.....	\$150 00
Trappe, Maryland.....	100 00
	<u>250 00</u>
Expense of the Conference Society.....	31 99
	<u>506 08</u>
Balance in treasury.....	\$94 77

MRS. W. W. B. GALLAHER, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF COLPORTAGE BOARD.

Your board takes pleasure in nominating Rev. A. A. P. Neel for General Colporteur for Baltimore Conference. Brother Neel is a man of considerable experience in this work, and is well qualified and prepared to make it eminently successful, and we sincerely hope it will be the pleasure of the Conference to elect him to this office.

We request the Presiding Elders and preachers in charge to heartily co-operate with the board in aiding the agent to organize and operate the colportage work.

G. H. ZIMMERMAN, *Chairman.*F. A. STROTHER, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLISHING INTERESTS.

We congratulate the church that our Publishing House has not only been able to continue all of its work during the period of financial stringency, but also to realize a profit from its business nearly equal to that of preceding years. We are glad to report that no complaints against the house have come to the knowledge of your committee. This is in itself a strong testimony to the efficiency of the management, because our territory is large, and the orders, while individually small, are numerous.

The Nashville Christian Advocate continues to be acceptable to our people. We heartily recommend it to our entire membership.

The Review of Missions marks a decided advance both in the character and value of the missionary information furnished to the church, and in the admonition so much needed by all of us in reference to this important work. We believe a wide circulation of this periodical in all of our pastoral charges will increase the interest in the cause of missions.

The Quarterly Review continues to be a charge on the church. It cannot be doubted by those who give any thought to the subject that the church needs a review. Are we responsible for the failure to sustain this periodical, or is there a lack of appreciation on the part of our people?

Our Sunday School literature continues to keep abreast with the times in quality and in cost. This literature deserves, as it receives, the patronage of our own and other churches.

It is gratifying to be able to report that arrangements have been made, satisfactory to the publisher and editor of "The Episcopal Methodist," whereby the editor will hereafter give his entire time to that paper. While the Episcopal Methodist has done very well financially, indeed much better than could have been expected, yet the fact is that Dr. Lafferty, the owner and publisher, has been publishing the paper at a loss to himself. This is not creditable to us, and your committee does not believe the Conference is willing that this state of affairs shall continue. The Episcopal Methodist needs and deserves a better support. It is a paper that in purity of contents, allegiance to God, and our Methodism, fidelity to the best interests of our Conference, and in the neatness of its make-up, none of us need be ashamed to put into our own and in others' homes. So long as it preserves these and adds other desirable characteristics, the paper will continue to receive the endorsement and support of the Baltimore Conference. Let us at once increase the number of subscriptions to our Conference organ.

We recommend the appointment of Samuel Rodgers to the editorship of the paper.

We also recommend that the Conference assent to the request of the publisher to change the form of the paper, and also to change the name to "The Baltimore Christian Advocate."

F. R. HILL, *Chairman.*

COLLINS DENNY, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

The Conference would reiterate with more pronounced emphasis than ever before its past deliverances that the traffic, use and manufacture of intoxicating liquors are incompatible with the teaching of the word of God, and damaging to the best interest of the Church. The evil is rapidly growing, and fearfully multiplying the victims of pauperism, insanity, disease and crime. It lies at the root and gives vigor to almost every social and national vice. It presents the most formidable obstruction in the legislation of our country, and imperils more than any other enemy the glorious inheritance of liberty, so dearly bought by our fathers.

The vast destruction of nutritive food in the manufacture of intoxicating liquors, the enormous capital perverted and massed together in this fatal trust, and the untold millions snatched from the school-houses and homes of our people, warn us in tones that cannot be misunderstood, that the dearest rights of domestic happiness and the most sacred duties of the sanctuary are in imminent danger. Our character as ministers constitutes us the natural guardians of childhood and the protectors of exposed womanhood. We, therefore, most earnestly protest against every encouragement of this the most destructive evil to the good morals of the community and the prosperity of the kingdom of God.

The fatal history of this traffic convinces us more than ever that we should take a firm and decided stand against every form of licensing in temperance; and we here express, in the following resolutions, the profound convictions of this body:

1. That we earnestly call upon our people to read the General Rules of the Discipline and the Chapter on Temperance.
2. That the Word of God and the whole legislation of the Church are in antagonism with the use, the vending and the manufacture of intoxicating liquors.
3. That we call upon all our people to present a united front in advancing all measures that look to the extirpation of this great social and national vice.
4. That we specially enjoin on all the ministers and members to become more watchful and to enforce with more fidelity the provisions of the Discipline on this subject.
5. That we earnestly invite our people throughout the Conference to invoke the Great Head of the Church to keep us in purity, and to stay the ravages of intemperance throughout our beloved country.

J. T. WIGHTMAN, *Chairman*,

L. R. MARKWOOD, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GENERAL CONFERENCE MEMORIALS.

Your Committee on General Conference Memorials begs leave to report the following:

I.—ON NUMBER OF CHARGES IN THE DISTRICTS.

WHEREAS. The condition and needs of our work vary in the broad territory of our Church, calling especially for more of the Presiding

Elder's care and oversight in some sections and less in others, and thus indicating need for greater adaptability in the rule limiting the number of charges in the Presiding Elders' Districts; therefore,

Resolved, by the Baltimore Annual Conference, in Annual Conference assembled, That we memorialize the General Conference so to change the law contained in Paragraph 104, page 76, of the Discipline, as to omit the *proviso*, and let it read: "To see that the Districts be formed according to his judgment."

II.—ON EXAMINATION OF APPLICANTS AND PROBATIONERS MORE PRIVATELY.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference so to change the law as to provide for examination into the character and adaptation to the work of the itinerant ministry of applicants for admission on trial and probationers in Conference, before a committee, instead of in open Conference, so as to avoid, as far as possible, the public discussion of the character of our young preachers.

III.—ON AUTHORITY FOR UNORDAINED TRAVELING PREACHERS IN CHARGE TO MARRY AND BAPTIZE.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference to enact a law authorizing unordained traveling preachers in charge to celebrate the rite of marriage and to baptize.

IV.—ON REDUCING THE NUMBER OF MISSIONARY SECRETARIES.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference to reduce the number of Missionary Secretaries from three to two.

V.—ON CHANGE OF OUR CONFERENCE BOUNDARY.

We have received a paper embodying the action of the Lewisburg District Conference at its last session, protesting against the agitation of the question of a severance of any of that part of our Conference territory from us, and requesting that the Baltimore Conference memorialize the General Conference to allow no change to be made in the boundary lines of our Conference; therefore,

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference to suffer no alteration to be made in the present boundaries of the Baltimore Conference.

VI.—ON PROVISION FOR SCHOOLING OF YOUNG MINISTERS, WHEN ADVISABLE.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference to insert in the Discipline, paragraph 98, answer 2, page 73, line 16, after the semicolon, and immediately before the word "also," the following clause: Also when recommended by the Board of Education, which recommendation is concurred in by the Annual Conference, to appoint preachers to study in institutions of learning under our care.

VII.—ON VERBAL CORRECTIONS IN OUR ARTICLES OF RELIGION.

Whereas, When the General Conference of 1808 provided for a delegated General Conference, said delegated General Conference was placed under

certain limitations and restrictions, one of which contains the following: "(1) The General Conference shall not revoke, alter, or change our Articles of Religion;" and *whereas*, no General Conference has ever attempted to ignore this restriction; yet *whereas*, some unknown hand has altered our Articles of Religion without any authority whatever, making the following changes in said Articles: In Article V, line 1, the word "containeth" has been changed to "contain;" in Article X, line 10, the word "is" has been inserted; in Article XI, line 3, the words "they call" have been changed to "are called;" in Article XVI, last line, the words "1 Cor. xi: 29" have been added; in Article XVIII, line 23, the word "mean" has been changed to "means." Now, therefore,

Resolved, That the General Conference be memorialized to instruct the Book Editor of the Church to correct these alterations and to restore our Articles verbatim to the form in which they stood at the close of the General Conference of 1808, retaining, however, the note added in 1820 to Article XXIII.

VIII.—ON APPROPRIATION OF CHILDREN'S DAY MONEY NOT USED IN THE CONFERENCE.

Resolved, That we memorialize the General Conference so to amend paragraph 245, page 142 of the Discipline, as to allow each Annual Conference, on the recommendation of the Conference Sunday School Committee, to turn over to the Parent Sunday School Committee any of the money collected on Children's Day—namely, the ninety per cent. retained under the law by the Annual Conference—remaining in their hands, and that cannot be used to advantage in the bounds of said Conference; such money to be used by the Parent Committee for the publication of Sunday school literature for our foreign work.

IX.—REFERRING TO THE PROPOSED PREPARATION OF A COURSE OF READING AND STUDY FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OLDER SCHOLARS; AND ALSO TO THE PROPOSED CHANGE IN THE RELATION OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE EPWORTH LEAGUE TO THE QUARTERLY CONFERENCE.

Your Committee recommend non-concurrence.

J. W. DUFFEY, *Chairman*.

J. H. DAVIDSON, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PAINE AND LANE INSTITUTES.

The Paine Institute, located in Augusta, Ga., is an institution for the education of Colored preachers and teachers, which was established by our General Conference.

The Lane Institute is the property of the Colored M. E. Church in Jackson, Tenn., which aims to do the same thing. The salary of the Professor of Theology in the Lane Institute is paid by the Paine Institute. These schools are both necessary, both doing good work and both needing help. As they are purely missionary, the burden of their support falls on the general Church.

All of the Conferences have agreed to accept an amount asked for, and to have it assessed with the other collections. The amount asked for from this Conference is \$500, and your Committee advise that this amount be accepted, and that the Board of Finance shall apportion it to the District as an assessment for colored education.

H. P. HAMILL, *President*.

E. H. HENRY, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE BIBLE CAUSE.

Your Committee appointed on Bible Cause beg leave to submit the following report:

We recognize the great importance of circulating the Bible in connection with the preaching of the Word of God, which teaches the way of salvation.

We regret that so many inferior and worthless books take the place of the *Bible* in many Christian homes. Such reading gives us false ideas of life; but the Master said, "Search the Scriptures, for in them ye think ye have eternal life and they are they which testify of me." We deplore the destitution of the Bible amongst the poorer classes of people.

Resolved (1), That we, as a Conference, recognize and indorse the American Bible Society and its auxiliaries in their laudable work.

Resolved (2), That inasmuch as the collections in the past have failed to meet the demand, that we will do all we can, as a Conference, to increase the collections.

Resolved (3), That collections be taken by the preachers at their convenience, and forward the same to the nearest agent of the Bible House and take his receipt. Also, that members making contributions be requested to report to their pastor, so that we may know what our church is really doing for this cause.

L. H. GRAYBILL, *Chairman*,

T. J. MILLER, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE RECORDS.

Your Committee on District Conference Records respectfully begs leave to make the following report:

1. The records of all the districts were before us, and were carefully examined.

2. The Minutes seem to be full and complete. They are legibly and neatly recorded, and show that the secretaries are men well qualified for the duties of their positions.

3. All are properly indexed on the margin of the record, so as to facilitate consulting the Minutes when desired.

4. It would be difficult to suggest any important improvements in any of the records.

H. M. STRICKLER, *Chairman*.

CHAS. S. STANTON, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE CORPORATE BOARD FINANCE.

The "Corporate Board of Finance" beg leave to report that they have paid over to the Joint Board of Finance one hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents (\$138.50), the product of the following investments:

Bequest of Mrs. Fulton, nine hundred and seventy-five dollars, loaned to Randolph-Macon College at 6 per cent. per annum.

Four hundred dollars, stock of Wesley Grove Camp-Meeting Association, at 5 per cent., with accrued interest.

The principal office is at No. 18 Light street, Baltimore, Md., and the Board of Directors are: Samuel Rodgers, *President*; James S. Gardner, P. H. Whisner; G. H. Zimmerman, *Secretary*; John W. Numsen, *Treasurer*.

The following compose the Corporate Board: Samuel Rodgers, James S. Gardner, P. H. Whisner, Wm. K. Boyle, G. H. Zimmerman, Charles Shipley, John W. Numsen, M. F. B. Rice, E. B. Pretzman.

SAMUEL RODGERS, *President*.

G. H. ZIMMERMAN, *Secretary*.

SESSIONS OF THE BALTIMORE CONFERENCE.

DATE.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT
1866—Febr'y 7-15.....	Alexandria, Va.....	Jno. Early.
1867—March 6-13.....	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.....	Geo. F. Pierce.
1868—“ 4-13.....	Central, Baltimore, Md.....	D. S. Doggett.
1869—“ 3-12.....	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.....	W. W. Wightman.
1870—“ 2-10.....	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.....	H. N. McTyiere.
1871—“ 8-14.....	Salem, Roanoke Co., Va.....	Geo. F. Pierce.
1872—“ 6-13.....	Warrenton, Va.....	Robert Paine.
1873—“ 5-14.....	Trinity, Baltimore, Md.....	G. F. Pierce.
1874—“ 4-12.....	Staunton, Va.....	D. S. Doggett.
1875—“ 3-10.....	Washington, D. C.....	E. M. Marvin.
1876—“ 1- 8.....	Winchester, Va.....	E. M. Marvin.
1877—“ 7-15.....	Alexandria, Va.....	H. H. Kavanaugh.
1878—“ 6-14.....	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.....	H. N. McTyiere.
1879—“ 5-11.....	Salem, Va.....	W. W. Wightman.
1880—“ 3-10.....	Front Royal, Va.....	J. C. Keener.
1881—“ 9-15.....	Harrisonburg, Va.....	H. N. McTyiere.
1882—“ 8-14.....	Fredericksburg, Va.....	H. N. McTyiere.
1883—“ 14-21.....	Charlestown, W. Va.....	J. C. Keener.
1884—“ 12-19.....	Calvary, Baltimore, Md.....	A. W. Wilson.
1885—“ 11-18.....	Salem, Va.....	J. C. Granbery.
1886—“ 10-16.....	Staunton, Va.....	H. N. McTyiere.
1887—“ 9-15.....	Leesburg, Va.....	J. C. Keener.
1888—“ 14-20.....	Martinsburg, W. Va.....	A. W. Wilson.
1889—“ 13-19.....	Alexandria, Va.....	A. W. Wilson.
1890—“ 12-19.....	St. Paul's, Baltimore, Md.....	W. W. Duncan.
1891—“ 11-17.....	Greene Mem., Roanoke, Va.....	E. R. Hendrix.
1892—“ 23-29.....	Harrisonburg, Va.....	J. C. Keener.
1893—“ 22-27.....	Front Royal, Va.....	J. S. Key.
1894—“ 28-Apr. 4.....	Fredericksburg, Va.....	J. C. Granbery.

TABLE No. 1.

MEMBERSHIP.

Baltimore District.		MEMBERS.				ADDI- TIONS		REMOVALS.			
		Local Preachers.	White.	Colored.	Total Members this Year.	Total Members last Year.	By Certificate. By Profession of Faith.	By Death.	By Certificate.	By Expulsion.	By Church Conf. By Withdrawal.
S. RODGERS, P. E.											
District Property*.											
1	Central.....	1	328	...	329	312	22	26	1	26	4
2	St. Paul's & Wilkins' Av.		629	...	629	639	25	17	6	26	13
3	Emmanuel.....	1	355	...	356	350	19	12	5	4	...
4	Frederick Avenue.....		92	...	92	91	2	6	2	4	5
5	Arlington.....		157	...	157	121	5	37	1	4	1
6	Reisterstown.....	2	208	...	210	191	4	9	...	2	2
7	Freedom.....		435	...	435	466	3	18	10	8	20
8	Linganore.....		334	...	334	306	...	32	1	2	4
9	Frederick City.....		104	...	104	101	1	4	1	1	...
10	Rockville.		443	...	443	451	5	6	5	15	...
11	Gaithersburg and Boyd's.	1	326	...	327	316	8	15	2	5	6
12	Montgomery.....	2	369	...	371	350	4	43	3	7	11
13	Beltsville.....	1	120	...	121	119	6	8	2	1	9
14	Hyattsville.....	1	211	...	212	220	5	5	5	8	6
15	Emory		58	...	58	55	3	2	2	...	...
16	Wesley Grove.		317	...	317	326	1	4	6	1	7
17	Laurel ...		241	...	241	197	6	79	3	9	14
18	Patuxent.....		174	...	174	178	9	46	7	4	30
19	Upper Marlboro'.....		117	...	117	130	...	6	1	11	2
20	Brunswick.		62	...	62	...	18	46	...	1	1
East Baltimore.		9	5080	...	5089	4919	146	415	63	139	125
J. E. ARMSTRONG, P. E.											
District Property*.											
1	Trinity	4	494	...	498	485	41	47	6	21	46
2	Calvary		203	...	208	272	2	2	3	19	44
3	North Baltimore.....	3	118	...	121	105	7	9	...	1	2
4	Taylor's		136	...	136	137	2	13	2	2	8
5	West Harford.....		100	...	100	102	...	...	1	...	...
6	East Harford..		141	...	141	134	1	9	1	2	...
7	Kent		137	...	137	114	1	17	1	4	...
8	Queen Anne's.		326	...	326	312	4	54	6	3	14
9	Church Hill.....		97	...	97	103	2	2	...	2	10
10	Hillsboro.		150	...	150	121	3	45	4	3	10
11	Easton and Caroline.....	1	570	...	571	521	6	96	3	10	31
12	Trappe	1	164	...	165	158	10	22	...	18	...
13	Royal Oak.....	1	203	...	204	176	6	31	1	1	6
14	Severn.....		237	...	237	130	3	10	3	2	1
15	West River.....	1	439	...	440	420	...	44	4	2	10
16	Calvert.....	2	437	...	439	433	3	22	9	2	7
17	Prince George's.....	1	203	...	204	259	19	6	3	37	37
18	Charles.....		177	...	177	181	...	16	2	16	1
19	St. Mary's.....		106	...	106	74	25	10	1	2	...
			14	4443	...	4457	4237	135	455	50	147
										2	188

*For value of Educational Property belonging in common to all the Districts, see page 109.

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	BAPTISMS.		PROPERTY.						
	Adults.	Infants.	CHURCH EDIFICES.		PARSONAGES.		Value of other Church property.	Money expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
			Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.			
1	4	10	1	15000	1	1500	.....	200	.....
2	1	56	2	47000	1	3500	2900	962	2050
3	2	20	1	18000	..	.....	500	1623	.....
4	.....	7	1	10000	.....	.....	.....	.....	75
5	5	16	1	5000	1	2100	50	155	.....
6	.....	14	3	7500	1	3500	.....	112	.....
7	1	22	7	16000	1	2500	350	1000	1600
8	12	9	6	10000	1	1600	310	.....	.....
9	.....	10	1	7000	.....	.....	.....	.....	500
10	3	17	4	11000	1	4000	600	240	.....
11	3	30	3	7000	1	2700	800	495	.....
12	6	32	6	13000	1	1000	.....	2175	.....
13	2	3	2	4500	.....	.....	.....	2700	200
14	.....	24	4	7400	1	2200	.....	557	50
15	.....	5	1	8500	1	3500	150	182	.....
16	.....	15	4	6400	1	1600	800	980	.....
17	12	22	3	4000	.....	.....	265	565	500
18	2	25	4	5000	1	1000	.....	123	.....
19	1	23	3	2000	1	1000	.....	92	.....
20	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	475	175	.....
	61	360	57	204300	14	31100	7200	12336	4975
1	6	13	1	35000	1	5250	1500	500	.....
2	.....	5	1	18000	1	2000	75	13	206
3	2	15	1	3000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4	1	9	4	6200	1	2000	.....	275	.....
5	.....	12	2	2700	1	1400	.....	100	.....
6	5	6	2	3000	1	2500	500	400	300
7	.....	.....	2	4000	1	2500	.....	42	.....
8	7	33	5	8300	1	1600	300	65	.....
9	.....	4	2	3000	1	1000	.....	10	.....
10	2	11	2	3800	1	700	100	150	165
11	9	65	3	13000	.....	.....	100	9000	3700
12	.....	8	2	5600	1	1500	250	935	.....
13	.....	40	3	5000	1	500	.....	505	.....
14	.....	30	4	3600	1	1500	.....	160	223
15	1	57	6	10000	1	2000	.....	1000	300
16	.....	11	5	7800	1	1500	250	129	.....
17	.....	18	5	5500	1	2000	100	250	.....
18	1	14	4	4500	1	1000	175	75	.....
19	1	.....	3	3800	.....	.....	30	300	500
	35	351	57	140800	16	28950	3380	13909	5394

TABLE No. 1.

MEMBERSHIP.												
Washington District.		MEMBERS.				ADDI- TIONS.		REMOVALS.				
R. SMITHSON, P. E.		Local Preachers.	White.	Colored.	Total Members this Year.	Total Members last Year.	By Certificate.	By Profession of Faith.	By Death.	By Certificate.	By Expulsion	By Church Conf.
												By Withdrawal.
District Property*												
1	Mt. Vernon	3	786		789	843	150	82	16	111		61
2	Epworth	2	169		171	137	42	15	2	23		
3	Marvin	1	146		147		145	1	1			
4	Alexandria	2	625		627	622	20	21	19	13		3
5	Falls' Church	1	237		238	245	12	17	11	9		14
6	Fairfax	2	275		277	274	4	23	4	2		15
7	Dranesville	1	370		371	343	5	46	6	7		
8	Leesburg		335		335	347	6	13	4	13		8
9	Hamilton		343		343	369	2	5	10	16		
10	Hillsborough		604		604	557	5	53	5	8		
11	Middleburg	2	232		234	236	17	15	1	4		32
12	Loudoun	1	523		524	523	7	17	10	14		1
13	Piedmont		450	1	451	494	5	12	6	13		37
14	Warrenton	1	224	3	228	294	8	5	3	10		
15	Fauquier	1	317		318	300	3	35	3	8		7
16	Occoquan		348	1	349	354	2	7	3	10		1
17	Morrisville	2	318		320	315		12	7	2		
18	Sudley		242		242	263	1	27	3	8		37
19	Manassas	1	157	2	160	166	1	2	1	2		
20	Stafford	1	400	2	403	395	2	18	5	2		6
21	Fredericksburg		323		323	333	9	11	7	18		2
Winchester District.		21	7424	9	7454	7340	446	437	127	293		219
DAVID BUSH, P. E.												23
District Property*												
1	Winchester	1	539		540	481	12	93	8	24		15
2	Frederick		186		186	197	4	15	6	5		8
3	Stephens' City		455		455	477	6	1	5	16		3
4	Middletown	1	413		414	398	9	24	5	16		
5	Strasburg		224		224	204	6	31	3	5		9
6	Woodstock	1	299		300	251	7	51	3	6		
7	Edenburg	1	378	2	381	336	44	16	3	7		4
8	Front Royal and Riverton	2	424	1	427	407	28	23	3	26		5
9	Warren		275	1	276	296		12	5	14		3
10	Linden		200		200	227	1	12	3	3		2
11	Page		341		341	336		19	2	7		5
12	White Post		179		179	182	9	2	4	7		1
13	Berryville		345		345	339	6	27	4	20		2
14	Brucetown		473		473	297	10	187	5	8		5
15	Darksville		389		389	343	10	86	5	20		15
16	Martinsburg	2	308		310	149	22	52	4	8		1
17	Berkeley	1	208		209	191	2	31	5	7		3
18	Charlestown		321		321	257	10	72	2	6		14
19	Jefferson		185		185	188	4	18	2	10		3
20	Shepherdstown		526		526	324	20	247	6	28		9
			9,6668	4	6681	5880	210	1019	83	243		81

*For value of Educational Property belonging in common to all the Districts, see page 109.

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	Adults.	Infants.	CHURCH EDIFICES.		PARSONAGES.		Value of other Church property.	Money expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
			Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.			
1	10	9	1	50000					
2	5	9	1	4000				100	
3	1	4	1	12788			1347	1297	6700
4	12	28	2	18000	1	4000	400	539	1391
5	7	6	2	7800	1	1500	600	2430	1443
6	14	3	4	7000	1	1600	500	300	
7	19		5	5500	1	1600		390	400
8	3	7	2	10500	1	4000	300	610	
9	2		3	7000	1	1900	425	2414	
10	28	21	5	8300	1	1400		400	
11	14	5	2	6000	1	1500	500	200	
12	16	4	6	10000	1	3000		138	
13	8	5	7	9500	1	1700	800	104	
14			2	8000	1	2200		202	160
15	13	5	2	2700	1	1400	70	231	
16	4	4	5	4500	1	600		225	
17	10		6	3500	1	600		180	85
18	16	5	3	4000	1	800		280	168
19			3	3500			90	320	
20	14		5	3000	1	800	60	9	
21	7	2	1	14000	1	3000	1200	50	
	203	117	68	199588	17	31600	6292	10419	10549
1	34	5	1	8000	1	4000	300		1200
2	10	12	4	3500	1	4000	200	700	1000
3	2	6	4	8000	1	1000		555	
4	14	4	2	4000	1	1800		205	
5	15	1	3	6000			400	125	
6	23	3	1	6000	1	2500	1500	1200	
7	7	1	3	7500	1	1200		109	
8	5	2	3	11500	1	2500	500		
9	8	3	3	2000			600	147	
10	12	5	3	5200					
11	16		3	1600	1	700		84	
12	1	1	5	4500	1	1000		96	57
13	15	3	3	8600	1	1200		172	
14	86	16	7	9000	1	1200		242	
15	25	20	4	6000			200	75	
16	13	14	1	12000	1	2500	350	400	230
17	9	11	2	3000	1	850	150		
18	23	21	2	10000	1	4000	100	4600	3500
19	8	13	2	4000			30	60	
20	60	38	4	8200	1	2000	500	1197	
	386	179	60	123600	15	30450	4830	9967	5987

TABLE No. 1.

Rockingham District.	MEMBERSHIP.										
	MEMBERS.				ADD - TIONS.			REMOVALS.			
	Local Preachers	White.	Colored.	Total Members this Year.	Total Members last Year.	By Certificate.	By Profession of Faith.	By Death.	By Certificate.	By Expulsion.	By Church Conf.
J. S. GARDNER, P. E.											
District Property*.....											
1 Staunton and Mission.....	1	655		656	586	42	54	7	17		2
2 Harrisonburg.....		261		261	379	6	7	8	14		4
3 Bridgewater.....	1	772		773	829	22	40	16	50		11
4 Parnassus.....		253		253	256	2	15	5	4		8
5 Augusta.....	1	410		411	439	4	15	11	7		17
6 West Augusta.....		125		125	122	6	1	1	1		2
7 Waynesboro & Basic City.....		309	1	310	244	4	66	1	9		
8 New Hope.....		161		161	181	5	7	3	1		4
9 Rockingham.....		288		288	293	3	18	3	13		
10 East Rockingham.....		300		300	216	10	80	1	5		4
11 Elkton.....	2	272		274	250	14	51	5	18		8
12 Port Republic.....	2	212		214	207	7	11	4	8		
13 Shenandoah.....	1	251		252	272	1	21		10		3
14 Luray.....	1	181		182	189	5		4	5		3
15 New Market.....		162		162	258	1	17	3	2		8
16 Mt Jackson.....		147		147	147						1
17 Marksville.....	1	188		189	132	4	66	2	1	11	
18 Fairfield and Baths.....	1	476		477	483	6	17	7	6		
19 Bell's Valley.....		57	1	58	61		3	2	3		1
	11	5480	2	5493	5544	142	489	83	174	11	69
Roanoke.											
P. H. WHISNER, P. E.											
District Property*.....											
1 Salem.....	1	344	1	346	383	15	7	4	45		5
2 Roanoke—Greene Mem'l.....	1	922		923	1022	62	42	2	198	3	
3 Trinity.....	2	223		225	202	30	27	2	25		9
4 St. James.....	3	335		338	303	19	43	2	16		4
5 Grace.....		256		256		176	100	1	14		5
6 Roanoke Circuit.....	1	219		220	246	1	5	4	1		22
7 Vinton.....		345	1	346	301	12	64	4	19	1	3
8 Elliston.....	1	334		335	331	10	16	8	7		11
9 Christiansburg.....		270		270	213	7	61	3	4	2	
10 Blacksburg.....		196		196	196	8	17	4	9		20
11 Newport.....	1	473		474	411	4	62	2			2
12 New Castle.....	1	243		244	182		36	2		2	
13 Catawba.....	2	355		357	317		57	3	7		6
14 Fincastle.....		170		170	163	3	4		2		
15 Amsterdam.....		287		287	305	3	17	3	7		18
16 Botetourt.....	3	277		280	256	1	33		4		
17 James River.....	1	250		251	317	13	13	2	3		50
18 Lexington.....		275		275	297	5	8	7	16		11
19 Buena Vista & Wesley Ch.....	1	369		370	255	16	7	3	33		2
20 Collierstown.....		248		248	228	3	27	5			
	18	6391	2	6411	6060	388	646	61	410	8	167

*For value of Educational Property belonging in common to all the Districts. see page 109.

TABLE No. 1.

	BAPTISMS.		PROPERTY.						
	Adults.	Infants.	CHURCH EDIFICES.		PARSONAGES.		Value of other Church property.	Money expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
			Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.			
1	12	7	2	31000	1	5500	.....	150	.....
2	5	.....	1	11000	1	4000	2000	22000	3000
3	27	1	9	11300	1	2000	1300	90	.....
4	10	2	4	4500	1	900	.....	10	100
5	10	3	5	4500	1	1000	.....	88	.....
6	.....	5	5	2900	1	1100	100	125	.....
7	40	6	3	10000	.....	.....	50	53	.....
8	4	.....	2	1800	1	1200	.....	.....	400
9	9	2	3	2400	1	500	250	173	.....
10	51	10	2	4000	1	700	300	55	.....
11	35	11	1	700	1	1000	675	1254	64
12	8	4	2	2500	.....	.....	275	150	.....
13	6	1	2	3600	1	600	30	.....	.....
14	.....	10	2	3000	2	2600	250	91	.....
15	9	4	1	4500	1	1400	.....	110	.....
16	.....	2	3	5000	1	1000	200	77	.....
17	54	.....	3	5000	1	2000	.....	700	500
18	10	15	1	1000	1	900	.....	103	600
19	.....	.....	5	6000	1	1000	.....	25	.....
	.....	.....	2	900	1	400	.....	.....	.....
	280	83	56	110600	19	27800	5430	25254	4664
1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	3000	250	19	.....
2	4	12	3	6700	1	2500	502	135	200
3	27	15	1	35000	1	10000	2400	210	1000
4	4	14	1	2000	.....	.....	12000	1814	10000
5	20	7	1	2000	.....	.....	442	254	275
6	69	1	2	10800	1	1500	.....	845	7000
7	.....	.....	3	3900	1	1500	.....	1530	554
8	31	1	1	2500	1	2500	.....	113	90
9	8	4	5	3500	1	1200	500	150	85
10	44	2	2	10500	1	2500	.....	.....	.....
11	2	3	2	5000	1	1500	75	111	.....
12	55	5	5	7300	1	1250	50	95	.....
13	20	1	4	4000	.....	.....	.....	1500	200
14	28	.....	1	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	4	4	3	6000	1	1800	385	50	.....
16	8	1	3	3000	1	1100	75	180	.....
17	16	1	4	6000	2	2000	.....	1100	200
18	12	.....	2	3000	1	700	.....	115	.....
19	2	.....	1	15000	1	1500	.....	869	1425
20	3	2	2	16000	2	3200	1000	527	.....
	12	.....	4	4400	1	700	.....	150	.....
	369	73	50	147800	19	38450	17679	9767	21029

TABLE No. 1.

Lewisburg District.		MEMBERSHIP.												
		Local Preachers.	MEMBERS.				ADDI- TIONS.		REMOVALS.					
			White.	Colored.	Total Members this Year.	Total Members last Year.	By Certificate.	By Profession of Faith.	By Death.	By Certificate.	By Expulsion.	By Church Conf	By Withdrawal.	
W. G. HAMMOND, P. E.														
	District Property*													
1	Lewisburg.....		236		236	231	7	11	3	4	1	1		
2	Frankford.....	2	518		520	469	4	64	4	7		2		
3	Blue Sulphur.....	1	393	5	399	396	3	14	1	2		12		
4	Greenville.....	2	370		372	408	7	25	4	4		1		
5	Hinton.....		215		215	171	18	45	5	5		5	1	
6	Talcott.....		171		171	178		3	6	3		3		
7	Alderson.....	2	228		230	168	16	3	1	10				
8	Clifton Forge.....		185		185	142	28	56	2	11		6	2	
9	Alleghany.....		187		187	142	5	41	2	3		3		
10	Ronceverte and W. Sul..	1	238		239	211	9	42		13		10		
11	Union.....	1	341		342	376	5	11	3	9	1			
12	Alvon.....		180		180	183	3	10	6	8				
13	Covington.....	1	168		169	144	4	38	5	11				
14	Levelton.....	1	311		312	356	2	31	6	5		36		
15	Hot Springs.....	1	90		91	80	1	16	3	2				
16	Greenbank.....	1	405		406	407	1	14	2	12		7	9	
17	Millboro and Shiloh.....		90		90	84	2	6		1				
18	Gilletts.....	2	165		167	112	1	24		1				
19	Huntersville.....		155		155	120	12	24		2		3		
Moorefield.		15	4646	5	4666	4378	128	478	53	113	2	89	15	
G. T. TYLER, P. E.														
	District Property*													
1	Moorefield.....		282		282	292	3	5	6	7		2	3	
2	Petersburg.....	1	167		168	164		7	1	3				
3	Franklin.....		255	1	256	254	2	17	5	3		12		
4	Crab Bottom.....		270		270	278		9	7	3		7		
5	Keyser.....	1	200		201	270	17	16	1	5		7		
6	Elk Garden.....		146		146	115	5	37	1	4		6		
7	Piedmont.....	1	164		165	168	13	14	4	12		15		
8	Frostburg.....		131		131	148	1	12	2	2		27		
9	Flintstone.....	1	239		240	207	3	31					1	
10	Romney.....	5	542		547	400	95	105	6	27		3	14	
11	Springfield.....	1	449		450	451	6	63	2	14		40		
12	Slanesville.....	2	204		206	239	3	10	7	4		6	28	
13	Hardy.....	2	400		402	333	4	82	5			9	1	
14	Morgan.....	1	319		320	269	2	77	5	2	3	18		
15	Gainsboro.....		470		470	475	1	21	4	7		12		
16	Wardensville.....	2	252		254	241	4	17	5	2		1		
17	Capon Bridge.....		367	5	372	326	5	41	2	1				
18	Listonburg.....	1	206		207	207		2	1	2		3		
19	Monterey.....		308	1	309	308	12	68	5	12		12	50	
20	McDowell.....	1	302		303	320	2	12	3	14		14		
		19	5672	7	5698	5465	178	646	72	124	3	194	97	

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TABLE No. 1.

	BAPTISMS.		PROPERTY.						
	Adults.	Infants.	CHURCH EDIFICES.		PARSONAGES.		Value of other Church property.	Money expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
			Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.			
	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	4000	350	.....	.....
1	6	12	2	4300	1	1500	145	175	.....
2	31	3	4	4300	1	350	.....	1200	.....
3	5	.....	5	3800	1	600	950	50	125
4	18	2	4	3000	1	600	200	250	.....
5	23	4	1	1300	1	1500	5000	5150	.....
6	.....	.....	2	1800	1	800	90	100	100
7	3	5	5	7000	1	1500	.....	85	.....
8	35	9	1	3000	1	1500	.....	883	260
9	17	13	2	700	.....	.....	.....	45	.....
10	17	.....	2	4500	1	1500	135	391	56
11	7	4	6	8400	1	1500	375	32	.....
12	6	6	3	1600	1	400	40	.....	108
13	18	5	2	4100	1	3000	.....	915	260
14	20	65	4	4000	1	1600	600	80	20
15	8	3	3	2100	.....	.....	1260	460	.....
16	4	6	4	5000	1	800	50	50	.....
17	2	.....	2	1000	1	700	40	130	580
18	19	4	1	400	1	450	.....	50	750
19	5	17	2	2300	.....	.....	200	.....	.....
	244	158	55	62600	17	22300	9435	10046	2259
	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	4000	350	20	.....
1	1	6	4	6000	1	3000	500	50	40
2	.....	4	4	5000	1	1000	.....	100	.....
3	5	5	3	4500	1	500	.....	230	.....
4	1	14	2	2500	1	1250	.....	.....	.....
5	10	12	1	4000	1	1200	.....	112	.....
6	10	19	3	2500	.....	.....	.....	115	.....
7	7	14	2	6000	.....	.....	.....	63	.....
8	2	39	2	3300	1	700	300	100	500
9	3	17	5	6500	1	500	550	1760	800
10	55	15	8	8000	1	2500	300	400	400
11	28	47	6	6100	1	1700	.....	306	.....
12	6	4	4	3500	.....	.....	.....	180	.....
13	53	9	5	2850	.....	.....	40	60	30
14	14	27	7	4325	.....	.....	150	600	.....
15	14	7	5	3700	1	800	.....	200	.....
16	12	10	2	2700	1	800	354	509	80
17	12	7	3	4000	1	1000	.....	.....	.....
18	1	2	4	4000	.....	.....	150	40	174
19	17	18	2	1900	1	2000	150	147	.....
20	5	9	5	6700	1	1000	100	501	.....
	256	285	77	88075	15	21950	2944	5493	2024

TABLE No. 1.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

DISTRICTS.	MEMBERSHIP.											
	Local Preachers.	MEMBERS.				ADDI- TIONS.		REMOVALS.				
		White.	Colored.	Total Members this Year.	Total Members last Year.	By Certificate.	By Profession of Faith.	By Death.	By Certificate.	By Expulsion.	By Church Conf.	By Withdrawal.
1 Baltimore.....	9	5080	..	5089	4919	146	415	63	139	..	125	45
2 East Baltimore.....	14	4443	..	4457	4237	135	455	50	147	2	188	84
3 Washington.....	21	7424	9	7454	7340	446	437	127	293	..	219	23
4 Winchester.....	9	6668	4	6681	5880	210	1019	83	243	..	81	63
5 Rockingham.....	11	5480	2	5493	5544	142	489	83	174	11	69	67
6 Roanoke.....	18	6391	2	6411	6060	388	646	61	410	8	167	9
7 Lewisburg.....	15	4646	5	4666	4378	128	478	53	113	2	89	15
8 Moorefield.....	19	5672	7	5698	5465	178	646	72	124	3	194	97
Total this year....	116	45804	29	45949	.....	1773	4585	592	1643	26	1132	403
Total last year....	113	43679	31	43823	..	1566	3643	497	1338	39	870	337
Increase.....	3	2125	..	2126	.....	207	942	95	305	..	262	66
Decrease.....	..	..	2	..	.....	..	..	..	..	13	..	..

TABLE No. 1.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

	BAPTISMS.		PROPERTY.*						
	Adults.	Infants.	CHURCH EDIFICES.		PARSONAGES.		Value of other Church property.	Money expended for Churches and Parsonages.	Present Indebtedness on Church Property.
			Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.			
1	61	360	57	204300	14	31100	7200	12336	4975
2	35	351	57	140800	16	28950	3380	13909	5394
3	203	117	68	199588	17	31600	6292	10419	10549
4	386	179	60	128600	15	30450	4830	9967	5987
5	280	83	56	110600	19	27800	5430	25254	4664
6	369	73	50	147800	19	38450	17679	9767	21029
7	244	158	55	62600	17	22300	9435	10046	2259
8	256	285	77	88075	15	21950	2944	5493	2024
	1834	1606	480	1082363	132	232600	57190	97191	56881
	1755	1609	466	1031400	128	223100	46207	73258	52450
	79	.....	14	50963	4	9500	10983	23933	4431
.....		3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

*To this add Educational Property:

Randolph-Macon College (one-third belonging to this Conference), \$665,000.

Wesleyan Female Institute, \$65,000.

TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Baltimore District.		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	S. Rodgers, Presiding Elder.....	.....	1800	1724	.....	.....	.....
1	Central—J. W. Duffey.....	329	1350	1350	.....	.....	300
2	{ St. Paul's—C. W. Cook..... }	629	1600	1600	.....	.....	400
	{ Wilkins' Avenue—L. W. Haslup... }		350	350	.....	.....	.....
3	Emmanuel—J. T. Wightman.....	356	1200	1200	20	20	300
4	Frederick Avenue—J. K. White..... }	92	400	400	.....	.....	108
	{ H. T. Wirgman... }		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5	Arlington—H. H. Kennedy.....	157	950	1000	.....	.....	300
6	Reisterstown—J. H. Light.....	210	650	650	.....	.....	150
7	Freedom—H. M. Strickler.....	435	700	700	.....	.....	150
	R. L. Fultz.....	.....	250	250	.....	.....	.....
8	Linganore—J. H. Dulaney.....	334	675	675	.....	.....	100
	S. J. Sarver.....	.....	85	85	.....	.....	.....
9	Frederick City—J. C. Hawk.....	104	360	360	.....	.....	.....
10	Rockville—L. L. Lloyd.....	443	950	845	.....	.....	200
	J. H. Wilhite.....	.....	300	290	.....	.....	.....
11	Gaithersburg and Boyd's—E. H. Henry..	327	800	730	.....	.....	175
12	Montgomery—W. E. Woolf.....	371	700	657	.....	.....	100
	W. S. Hammond.....	.....	300	275	.....	.....	.....
13	Beltsville—E. V. Regester.....	121	300	300	.....	.....	.....
14	Hyattsville—G. H. Zimmerman.....	212	700	600	.....	.....	150
15	Emory—F. H. Shipley.....	58	400	400	.....	.....	200
16	Wesley Grove—W. P. C. Coe.....	317	650	650	.....	.....	160
17	Laurel—J. H. Kuhlman.....	241	500	450	.....	.....	.....
18	Patuxent—W. L. Smith.....	174	500	470	.....	.....	75
19	Upper Marlboro—N. N. Hall.....	117	300	213	.....	.....	75
20	Brunswick—A. P. Boude.....	62	.....	8	25	5	.....
		5089	16770	16232	45	25	2883

TABLE No. 3—Sunday Schools.

Baltimore District.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Collected for S. S.	Money contributed for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in Sunday Schools.
1 Central.....	1	27	310	112	150			262	16
2 St. Paul's & Wilkins' Av	2	58	525	266	468	11		745	
3 Emmanuel.....	1	33	358	128	360			488	
4 Frederick Avenue.....	1	15	135	65				65	
5 Arlington.....	2	27	207	237	488			725	24
6 Reisterstown.....	2	33	145	50	102	3		155	7
7 Freedom.....	9	75	350	100	100			200	12
8 Linganore.....	6	84	602	185	60			245	
9 Frederick City.....	1	17	80	44	36			80	
10 Rockville.....	4	56	350	210	80			290	3
11 Gaithersburg & Boyd's.	5	65	382	93	60			153	15
12 Montgomery.....	8	100	510	115	45			160	20
13 Beltsville.....	2	18	135	60	15			75	4
14 Hyattsville.....	4	35	148	102	60	8		170	4
15 Emory.....	1	18	131	103				103	1
16 Wesley Grove.....	4	33	215	84	107			191	3
17 Laurel.....	3	45	421	167	20			187	36
18 Patuxent.....	4	26	129	45	15		8	68	13
19 Upper Marlboro.....	3	18	71	14		6		20	7
20 Brunswick.....	1	9	75	9				9	7
	64	792	5279	2189	2166	28	8	4391	172

TABLE No. 2—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1	165	165	1650	1650	30	30	152	152	870
2	230	230	2350	2350	42	42	21	211	1961
3	150	150	1520	1520	27	27	137	137	2696
4	45	45	508	508	8	2	40	3	100
5	105	105	1250	1300	20	20	96	106	543
6	75	75	800	800	14	14	68	68	281
7	115	115	1100	1100	21	21	105	75	150
8	110	110	860	860	20	17	101	76	185
9	50	39	360	360	9	6	45	35	120
10	165	145	1450	1335	30	20	152	100	250
11	95	90	975	905	18	14	87	57	185
12	110	100	1100	1032	21	21	101	75	200
13	35	35	300	300	7	7	33	33	100
14	75	65	850	750	14	12	68	55	129
15	50	50	600	600	9	9	45	16	70
16	90	90	750	750	17	17	80	47	92
17	30	27	500	450	6	4	27	16	136
18	65	60	575	545	13	13	59	50	33
19	40	28	375	289	7	4	36	19	26
20	.....	.....	25	13	.....	.....	.....	2	9
1800		1724	17898	17416	333	300	1643	1333	8136

TABLE No. 4—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt	Paine and Lane Instit'ute	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1	205	205	126	126	51	51	21	27	...	17	17	72	...	...	3827
2	287	287	181	181	72	72	39	39	30	24	24	...	...	...	7134
3	187	187	114	114	46	46	26	26	30	...	...	...	...	...	7044
4	56	10	35	5	13	3	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	743
5	132	132	80	80	32	32	17	17	...	11	11	...	...	...	3226
6	93	93	58	58	23	23	12	12	3	8	8	...	...	...	1702
7	144	144	88	47	36	15	18	10	5	12	8	...	...	...	2890
8	137	65	84	15	35	8	17	4	...	11	9	17	...	...	1611
9	63	50	39	25	16	8	7	5	...	6	4	7	...	...	739
10	205	170	126	70	52	35	27	10	...	17	15	10	...	...	2690
11	118	80	75	46	30	12	15	10	2	9	4	...	...	...	2053
12	137	75	84	50	35	12	17	9	...	11	11	...	...	...	3920
13	45	45	28	28	11	5	5	5	...	4	4	11	...	...	3348
14	93	75	58	45	24	15	12	8	...	8	6	...	...	...	1887
15	63	63	39	39	16	2	8	2	...	6	2	...	...	...	1133
16	112	85	70	43	29	10	14	5	...	10	10	...	...	...	2320
17	37	19	23	9	10	4	4	3	1	4	3	1	...	...	1425
18	81	45	50	27	20	12	10	7	...	7	7	15	...	...	1065
19	51	26	31	16	14	7	...	2	2	4	4	534
20	...	1	...	1	...	1	211
2246		1857	1389	1025	565	37	276	203	73	165	147	133	49447

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TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

East Baltimore District		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd	Paid.	
	J. E. Armstrong, Presiding Elder.....	...	1800	1697	.....	.....	.....
1	Trinity—F. R. Hill.....	498	2400	2400	.....	.....	600
2	Calvary—C. M. Bragg.....	208	1000	863	.....	.....	200
	R. H. Bennnett.....						
3	North Baltimore—J. H. Wells.....	121	400	400	.....	.....	.....
4	Taylor's—W. Melville	136	550	550	.....	.....	150
5	W. Harford—S. B. Dolly	100	375	350	.....	.....	60
6	E. Harford—W. A. McDonald.....	141	550	515	..	.....	150
7	Kent—J. W. Mitchell.....	137	500	500	.....	.....	100
8	Queen Anne's—F. T. Griffith.....	326	600	585	.....	.....	100
	.....	.....	250	244	.....	.....	.....
9	Church Hill—J. L. Grant.....	97	350	269	20	.....	80
10	Hillsboro—T. J. Lambert ..	150	475	400	40	20	75
11	Easton and Caroline—C. D. Harris.....	571	800	800	.....	.....	48
	J. T. Kestler.....	.....	150	150	.....	.....	.....
12	Trappe—F. M. Totten.....	165	500	402	.....	.....	.....
13	Royal Oak—C. K. Millican.	204	560	560	.....	.....	40
14	Severn—L. G. Martin	237	550	550	.....	.....	100
15	West River—J. R. Andrew....	440	700	638	.....	.....	125
	.....	.....	225	205	.....	.....	.....
16	Calvert—C. A. Joyce.....	439	625	578	.....	.....	80
	.....	.....	250	231	.....	.....	.....
17	Prince George's—W. H. Wolf.....	204	600	530	20	8	200
18	Charles—J. C. Sedwick.....	177	420	338	.....	.....	75
19	St. Mary's—A. B. Sites.....	106	325	325	.....	.....	.....
		4457	14955	14080	80	28	2183

TABLE No. 3.—Sunday Schools.

East Baltimore District.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Collected for S. S.	Money contributed for Missions	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in Sunday Schools.
1 Trinity.....	1	15	515	235	685	.....	156	1076	15
2 Calvary.....	1	22	120	142	93	3	.....	238	1
3 North Baltimore.....	1	9	65	55	71	.....	.....	126	4
4 Taylor's.....	3	24	193	87	83	.....	.....	170	7
5 West Harford	2	20	100	20	30	.....	.....	50	.....
6 East Harford.....	2	23	182	80	29	.....	.....	109	3
7 Kent.....	1	8	60	12	.....	.....	.....	12	.....
8 Queen Anne's.....	5	46	220	81	25	.....	.....	106	20
9 Church Hill.....	2	14	71	20	9	.....	.....	29	.....
10 Hillsboro....	2	16	95	30	35	.....	.....	65	12
11 Easton and Caroline...	4	45	355	152	120	.....	.....	272	27
12 Trappe.....	2	18	115	30	15	.....	10	55	.....
13 Royal Oak.....	4	40	193	65	100	.....	.....	165	10
14 Severn.....	4	36	178	46	15	.....	.....	61	3
15 West River.....	6	69	391	141	127	.....	56	324	31
16 Calvert.	5	46	290	90	31	.....	.....	121	10
17 Prince George's.	4	24	130	30	.....	.....	.....	30	4
18 Charles.. ..	2	18	96	25	10	.....	.....	35	9
19 St. Mary's.....	3	15	92	100	..	.....	.....	100	.....
	54	508	3461	1441	1478	3	222	3144	156

TABLE No. 2.—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c
	Ass'd.	Paid	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1	310	310	3000	3000	53	55	266	268	2020
2	138	119	1200	1063	24	24	119	110	521
3	70	70	400	400	12	12	60	30	566
4	86	86	700	700	15	15	74	74	80
5	46	46	435	410	8	8	39	20	44
6	84	79	700	665	15	10	72	30	75
7	83	83	600	600	15	12	72	40	91
8	128	125	950	929	22	22	110	110	175
9	55	42	450	349	9	5	47	8	50
10	64	54	590	495	11	11	55	20	80
11	70	70	998	993	15	15	62	62	311
12	79	69	500	402	13	13	68	38	.....
13	62	62	600	600	10	10	50	50	596
14	78	78	650	650	12	10	67	67	105
15	138	126	1050	968	23	23	119	119	134
16	125	116	955	889	22	18	108	72	190
17	83	73	820	738	15	15	71	40	125
18	60	48	495	413	10	7	52	15	15
19	41	41	325	325	7	7	34	10	20
	1800	1697	15418	14594	311	292	1545	1183	5108

TABLE No. 4—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL. TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt.	Paine and Lane Institute.	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1	328	350	201	201	76	76	46	46	12	31	31	....	....	755	8700
2	145	145	90	90	34	14	21	12	16	14	10	....	....	258	2633
3	74	33	45	22	18	7	10	5	...	7	2	11	....	...	1289
4	91	91	56	56	22	22	13	13	...	9	9	36	....	...	1627
5	49	32	30	20	12	8	7	6	...	4	4	....	....	...	748
6	89	20	55	20	21	4	13	8	1	8	4	2	....	...	1427
7	84	15	54	10	21	4	13	4	...	8	2	7	....	...	922
8	135	100	83	60	31	16	19	10	...	13	7	....	....	...	1725
9	58	8	36	7	14	4	8	3	...	6	...	....	....	...	515
10	68	35	42	15	16	6	9	2	...	6	6	9	....	...	948
11	74	74	48	48	18	18	13	13	...	7	7	...	....	...	10888
12	83	26	51	15	20	5	12	1	1	8	1	33	....	...	1594
13	64	64	36	36	14	14	9	5	...	6	5	....	....	...	2112
14	82	50	51	30	20	5	11	2	...	8	4	5	....	...	1222
15	146	146	89	89	34	34	21	21	...	14	...	10	....	...	2994
16	132	72	82	26	31	8	18	5	...	13	8	....	....	180	1744
17	88	50	54	15	21	10	12	6	...	8	4	....	....	55	1411
18	64	16	39	10	15	5	9	3	...	6	4	....	....	...	646
19	42	11	24	7	10	3	6	2	826
	1900	1343	1166	777	448	263	270	167	30	176	108	113	...	1248	43976

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TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Washington District.		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of par- sonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	R. Smithson, Presiding Elder.....		1700	1661			
1	Mt. Vernon—I. W. Canter.	789	1500	1500			600
2	Epworth—J. C. Jones.....	171	500	500			350
3	Marvin—S. W. Haddaway.....	147	1000	1000	30	30	
4	Alexandria—T. E. Carson.....	627	1400	1400			400
5	Falls Church—J. T. Williams.....	238	800	800	20	20	150
6	Fairfax—S. V. Hildebrand.....	277	60	60			96
7	Dranesville—C. B. Sutton.....	371	500	500			100
	H. M. Reed.....		160	160			
8	Leesburg—B. F. Ball.....	335	800	800	6	6	250
9	Hamilton—R. R. S. Hough.....	34	775	646			125
10	Hillsborough—W. H. Sanders.....	604	700	665	25	12	100
	B. L. Parrot.....		180	171			
11	Middleburg—H. I. Stephens.....	234	700	700			150
12	Loudoun—J. L. Shipley.....	524	775	762			200
	W. D. Keene.....		275	271			
13	Piedmont—T. G. Nevitt.....	451	600	600			156
			200	200			
14	Warrenton—J. W. Grubb.....	228	700	590			200
15	Fauquier—W. E. Miller.....	318	500	449			140
16	Occoquan—C. E. Simmons.....	349	475	500			60
17	Morrisville—J. O. Tackett.....	320	310	246			30
18	Sudley—A. Weller.....	242	500	500	18	18	60
19	Manassas—W. O. Ross.....	160	375	375			
20	Stafford—L. Fox.....	403	500	325	29	29	50
21	Fredericksburg—S. G. Ferguson.....	323	900	900	57	57	250
		7454	17425	16821	185	172	3467

TABLE No. 3.—Sunday Schools.

Washington District.		No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	Number of Scholars.	Money Col-lected for S. S.	Money contrib-uted for Mis-sions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Am't collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in S. Schools.
1	Mt. Vernon.....	1	39	402	213	440			653	19
2	Epworth.....	1	15	121	54	103			157	10
3	Marvin.....	1	10	92	52	90			142	
4	Alexandria.....	2	52	359	290	275		55	620	10
5	Falls Church.....	2	29	142	61	129		12	202	8
6	Fairfax.....	6	47	292	129	31	8		168	8
7	Dranesville.....	6	63	330	65	30			95	
8	Leesburg.....	2	30	175	155	128			283	7
9	Hamilton.....	3	22	190	66				66	2
10	Hillsborough.....	10	102	568	249	2			251	13
11	Middleburg.....	5	44	325	80	6			86	7
12	Loudoun.....	8	77	433	160	66	15		241	11
13	Piedmont.....	7	65	349	66	17			83	
14	Warrenton.....	1	32	152	42	72			114	5
15	Fauquier.....	4	38	187	61	27	10		98	23
16	Occoquan.....	8	53	350	64	25			89	4
17	Morrisville.....	5	45	260	20				20	4
18	Sudley.....	5	45	186	26	25			51	11
19	Manassas.....	3	25	110	62				62	
20	Stafford.....	4	46	297	143	6			149	11
21	Fredericksburg.....	1	29	225	165	112			277	2
		75	908	5485	2223	1584	33	67	3907	155

TABLE No. 2—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects — Lights, fuel, &c.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1.....	184	184	2100	2100	41	41	200	200	2473
2.....	46	46	850	850	10	10	50	50	190
3.....	46	46	1030	1030	10	10	50	50	175
4.....	161	161	1800	1800	36	36	175	183	1195
5.....	92	92	970	970	20	20	100	100	143
6.....	69	69	696	696	15	12	75	70	85
7.....	67	67	760	760	15	15	74	66	25
8.....	92	92	1056	1056	20	20	100	100	295
9.....	89	76	900	771	18	12	96	50	81
10.....	101	95	1005	948	22	22	110	55	126
11.....	80	80	850	850	14	14	86	51	125
12.....	120	118	1250	1233	27	22	130	109	100
13.....	89	89	956	956	20	20	97	100	135
14.....	80	80	900	790	18	9	87	47	130
15.....	55	51	640	589	12	12	58	45	38
16.....	55	55	535	560	12	12	58	58	75
17.....	35	28	340	276	8	4	38	10	20
18.....	55	55	578	578	12	10	59	56	43
19.....	34	34	375	375	7	7	37	15	90
20.....	46	39	579	404	10	8	50	15	25
21.....	104	104	1207	1207	23	23	112	112	300
	1700	1661	19377	18799	370	339	1842	1542	5869

TABLE No. 4.—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA-TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL. TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt.	Paine and Lane Institute.	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1.....	240	347	147	147	65	65	35	35	...	23	23	...	27	..	6295
2.....	60	60	37	37	16	16	8	8	...	6	6	10	...	...	1540
3.....	60	60	37	37	16	16	8	8	...	6	6	22	...	...	2899
4.....	210	210	129	129	57	57	31	31	...	20	20	...	...	823	5804
5.....	119	119	73	73	33	33	18	12	...	12	12	43	...	26	4275
6.....	90	75	55	25	24	8	15	8	...	8	8	...	...	...	1524
7.....	88	70	55	35	24	12	13	7	2	8	5	5	...	...	1554
8.....	119	100	73	53	33	15	18	10	...	12	12	...	...	...	2646
9.....	115	59	71	30	31	5	17	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3569
10.....	132	70	81	15	36	10	19	5	...	13	4	...	...	...	2001
11.....	105	38	64	35	28	...	15	...	...	10	10	...	...	35	1524
12.....	156	128	97	81	42	33	23	18	...	15	12	...	...	...	2233
13.....	115	130	72	72	32	32	17	17	10	11	11	...	5	...	1764
14.....	105	64	64	36	28	15	15	7	...	10	6	...	...	...	1500
15.....	70	40	44	22	19	5	10	5	5	7	7	...	...	30	1178
16.....	70	70	44	44	19	19	10	10	...	7	7	5	...	20	1249
17.....	46	10	29	10	12	4	7	2	...	7	...	...	...	...	564
18.....	70	30	44	17	19	10	10	5	...	7	5	...	...	...	1140
19.....	44	15	27	10	13	4	7	2	...	4	4	4	...	...	942
20.....	60	20	37	8	16	5	8	2	...	6	5	...	...	...	689
21.....	134	134	83	83	37	37	20	20	...	13	13	1033	3393
	2314	1849	1363	999	600	401	324	217	17	205	176	89	32	1967	4: 283

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TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Winchester District.		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	D. Bush, Presiding Elder.....		1460	1319			
1	Winchester—W. H. D. Harper.....	540	1400	1400			250
2	Frederick—F. Furr.....	186	360	236			100
3	Stephens' City—J. R. Van Horne.....	455	800	800			100
4	Middletown—W. G. Eggleston.....	414	600	600	25		100
5	Strasburg—Q. Wheat.....	224	300	300	10	10	75
6	Woodstock—J. P. Stump.....	300	900	900			150
7	Edinburg—H. S. Coe.....	381	500	400			100
8	Front Royal & Riverton—C. M. Brown { S. K. Cox.. }	427	1000	1 00			200
9	Warren—W. W. Watts.....	276	400	285	10		30
10	Linden—H. A. Wilson.....	200	400	400			
11	Page—H. L. Hout.....	341	500	401			60
12	White Post—S. R. Snapp.....	179	500	474			100
13	Berryville—A. O. Armstrong.....	345	700	700	26	14	100
14	Brucetown—J. L. Kibler.....	473	700	633	20	20	100
15	Darksville—J. H. Wolff.....	389	454	380			96
16	Martinsburg—A. M. Cackley.....	310	750	750			150
17	Berkeley—H. A. Gaver.....	209	500	482			75
18	Charlestown—H. P. Hamill.....	321	800	754			250
19	Jefferson—A. A. P. Neel.....	185	500	500			
20	Shepherdstown—F. A. Strother.....	526	800	800	23	23	100
		6681	14264	13514	108	67	2136

TABLE No. 3—Sunday Schools.

	Winchester District.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Collected for S. Schools.	Money contributed for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in S. Schools.
1	Winchester.....	1	48	385	260	300	10	.....	570	50
2	Frederick.....	3	25	125	25	.....	.....	.....	25	15
3	Stephens' City.....	6	70	450	75	25	.....	.....	100	.....
4	Middletown.....	3	70	310	94	.....	4	21	119	15
5	Strasburg.....	3	31	200	57	7031	.....	.....	135	2
6	Woodstock.....	1	20	170	60	200	.....	.....	260	16
7	Edinburg.....	3	30	236	83	25	.....	.....	108	6
8	Front Royal and Riv..	6	55	454	113	44	.....	.....	157	9
9	Warren.....	5	23	240	20	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
10	Linden.....	2	15	100	15	.....	.....	.....	15	.....
11	Page.....	6	26	356	29	9	.....	.....	38	5
12	White Post.....	5	44	260	55	13	.....	.....	68	.....
13	Berryville.....	4	44	245	75	80	.....	.....	155	8
14	Brucetown.....	7	69	497	59	47	71	.....	177	102
15	Darksville.....	3	48	300	65	30	.....	.....	95	20
16	Martinsburg.....	1	33	300	98	162	.....	.....	260	33
17	Berkeley.....	2	40	250	143	65	.....	.....	208	25
18	Charlestown.....	2	23	181	46	114	6	.....	166	24
19	Jefferson.....	2	23	124	22	22	.....	.....	44	11
20	Shepherdstown.....	4	49	412	170	144	6	.....	320	90
		69	786	5595	1564	1311	97	21	2993	429

TABLE No. 2—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1.....	135	135	1650	1650	28	28	136	136	400
2.....	40	21	460	336	8	3	40	25	30
3.....	75	75	900	900	15	10	75	50	132
4.....	75	75	725	700	15	10	75	48	88
5.....	50	50	385	385	10	7	50	30	87
6.....	75	75	1050	1050	15	15	75	75	480
7.....	65	52	600	500	13	6	65	27	60
8.....	100	100	1200	1200	20	17	101	101	104
9.....	55	36	440	315	11	8	55	15	50
10.....	50	50	400	400	10	3	50	17	12
11.....	36	31	560	461	8	5	36	13	34
12.....	5	53	600	574	12	6	56	24	30
13.....	90	90	820	814	18	12	90	75	135
14.....	70	63	820	753	14	14	70	70	127
15.....	65	57	550	476	13	10	65	45	85
16.....	73	73	900	900	15	10	73	73	241
17.....	55	53	575	557	11	.....	55	.....	80
18.....	85	80	1050	1004	18	15	86	70	180
19.....	50	50	500	500	10	8	50	40	45
20.....	100	100	923	923	20	20	101	90	102
	1400	1319	15108	14398	284	207	1404	1024	2502

TABLE No. 4—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION. *		Bible Cause.	DEL TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt.	Paine and Lane Institute.	Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1.....	185	185	114	114	46	46	23	23	10	16	16	...	...	55	4068
2.....	55	8	35	16	13	11	7	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	476
3.....	103	65	64	40	25	12	13	6	5	9	3	...	...	67	2022
4.....	103	71	64	26	25	10	13	10	...	9	6	...	...	37	1405
5.....	68	30	42	20	17	8	8	4	...	6	4	...	...	...	838
6.....	103	103	64	64	25	25	13	13	5	9	9	...	...	20	3394
7.....	89	34	55	15	22	7	11	4	...	7	3	...	...	...	925
8.....	137	113	85	69	34	28	17	13	...	12	12	...	...	...	1914
9.....	75	18	46	11	18	4	9	3	...	6	2	...	...	...	629
10.....	68	21	42	13	17	5	8	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	539
11.....	50	20	30	10	12	1	6	2	...	4	2	...	...	...	701
12.....	77	25	47	15	19	5	10	3	...	6	3	5	...	...	907
13.....	124	86	76	35	30	13	15	5	...	10	7	...	...	...	1599
14.....	96	79	59	56	24	15	12	10	...	8	6	...	...	...	1612
15.....	89	55	55	30	22	7	11	5	...	7	3	...	...	...	943
16.....	100	100	62	62	25	15	12	4	...	8	4	...	...	...	2142
17.....	75	60	46	30	18	9	9	5	...	6	4	...	...	...	1006
18.....	117	90	72	58	29	29	14	10	10	10	8	...	...	27	6347
19.....	69	58	42	34	17	13	8	6	3	6	4	...	...	...	865
20.....	137	117	85	71	34	24	17	17	...	12	12	...	...	43	3036
	1920	1338	1185	789	472	287	236	147	33	160	110	5	....	249	35368

* See page 109.

TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Rockingham District.		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preachers' Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	J. S. Gardner, Presiding Elder		1399	1280			
1	Staunton and Mission--J. H. Boyd	656	1200	1400	35	35	300
2	Harrisonburg--J. A. Anderson ..	241	1000	1000			187
3	Bridgewater--L. R. Jones	773	750	633			50
	J. H. Smith.		300	257			
4	Parnassus--T. Cooper.....	253	500	483			60
5	Augusta--R. M. Wheeler ..	411	500	500			60
6	West Augusta--A. C. McNeer	125	265	214			
7	Waynesboro-Basic City--J. C. Thrasher.	310	600	600			125
8	New Hope--T. J. Miller....	161	450	367			25
9	Rockingham--T. Briley.	288	425	358			50
10	East Rockingham--C. L. Kennard.....	300	500	500			100
11	Elkton--W. M. Waters	274	500	500			90
12	Port Republic--J. K. Gilbert.....	214	400	356			60
13	Shenandoah--L. Butt.....	252	520	473			100
14	Luray--T. W. Brown.....	182	500	600			100
15	New Market--J. S. Porter	162	375	262			50
16	Mt. Jackson--J. S. Hopkins	147	375	155			
17	Marksville--W. J. Whitesell.....	189	200	200			
18	Fairfield and Baths--P. S. E. Sixeas	477	450	399			75
	O. W. Lushy ..		375	307			
19	Bell's Valley--H. D. Bishop....	58	200	118			60
		5493	12784	10962	35	35	1492

TABLE No. 3.—Sunday Schools.

Rockingham District.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Money Collected for S. S.	Money contributed for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in S. Schools.
1 Staunton and Mission. .	3	78	706	368	178	.....	.....	546	35
2 Harrisonburg.	1	27	214	188	178	.....	.....	366	2
3 Bridgewater	9	108	643	132	33	.....	.....	165	23
4 Parnassus	4	32	235	53	36	.....	.....	89	6
5 Augusta	5	52	322	53	46	3	.....	102	17
6 West Augusta	3	29	137	13	.....	.....	.....	13	.....
7 Waynesboro--Basic City	3	40	250	100	60	.....	.....	160	6
8 New Hope.	2	21	135	20	7	7	.....	34	3
9 Rockingham	4	26	237	30	12	.....	.....	42	8
10 East Rockingham	1	15	150	45	20	.....	.....	65	25
11 Elkton	2	21	175	60	45	.....	.....	105	25
12 Port Republic.	2	20	140	40	13	.....	.....	53	.....
13 Shenandoah	3	35	200	55	28	.....	.....	83	10
14 Luray	1	22	120	46	25	.....	62	133	.....
15 New Market	2	23	130	23	7	.....	.....	30	.....
16 Mt. Jackson	3	27	200	61	9	.....	.....	70	.....
17 Marksville.	1	15	75	36	.....	.....	.....	36	25
18 Fairfield and Baths.	7	48	295	60	3	.....	.....	63	3
19 Bell's Valley.	1	8	52	3	12	.....	.....	15	.....
	57	647	4416	1386	712	10	62	2170	188

TABLE No. 2--Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1	165	178	1535	1735	31	31	152	152	556
2	138	138	1187	1187	26	26	27	127	322
3	131	112	1100	940	25	25	120	120	205
4	69	67	560	543	13	11	64	42	.....
5	69	69	560	560	13	13	64	37	25
6	34	27	2 5	214	6	2	32	4	.....
7	82	82	725	725	16	10	76	30	200
8	55	45	475	392	11	7	51	12	30
9	58	50	475	408	11	6	54	19	60
10	54	54	600	600	11	11	51	28	42
11	75	75	590	590	14	14	70	50	105
12	62	55	460	416	12	4	57	19	25
13	70	64	620	573	12	8	65	50	103
14	70	70	600	700	13	13	64	64	110
15	48	33	42	312	9	9	44	30	45
16	48	20	375	155	9	1	44	6	.....
17	41	41	200	200	8	3	38	5	81
18	99	76	900	781	18	8	91	17	.....
19	31	24	260	178	6	2	28	12	.....
	1399	1280	11912	11209	264	204	1292	824	1909

TABLE No 4—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt	Paine and Lane Instit'te	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1	164	168	101	101	48	48	27	27	...	18	18	...	...	2520	28230
2	137	137	84	84	40	40	23	23	5	16	16	...	...	...	2636
3	130	106	80	60	38	28	21	15	...	15	15	...	...	75	1801
4	68	68	42	26	20	11	11	6	...	8	6	10	...	...	967
5	68	68	42	31	20	12	11	6	...	8	6	10	...	...	1064
6	34	5	21	3	10	2	6	1	...	4	1	...	...	...	325
7	82	50	50	10	24	5	13	5	...	9	5	10	...	...	1292
8	54	25	34	10	16	5	9	1	...	6	1	3	...	5	743
9	58	21	36	13	17	6	9	4	...	6	4	...	...	...	688
10	54	54	34	34	15	5	9	4	5	6	...	...	...	...	2156
11	75	50	46	25	22	10	12	10	...	8	6	10	...	26	1226
12	61	20	38	12	18	6	10	3	...	7	3	...	...	...	616
13	70	58	43	26	20	6	11	4	...	8	3	5	...	...	1074
14	68	68	42	10	20	3	11	4	...	9	9	5	...	...	1296
15	48	32	29	20	13	9	8	8	...	5	5	...	...	...	610
16	48	5	29	4	13	1	8	1	...	5	1	...	...	...	964
17	41	8	25	5	12	...	6	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	482
18	98	21	61	10	29	1	16	2	...	10	2	...	...	...	1005
19	30	13	19	7	8	3	5	...	1	3	1	...	...	...	258
	1388	977	856	491	403	201	226	122	11	155	102	53	...	2626	47433

* See page 109.

TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Roanoke District.		Members	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	P. H. Whisner, Presiding Elder.....	.....	1400	1316	.....	.....	.....
1	Salem—J. S. Hutchinson.....	346	1000	1000	.....	.....	200
2	Greene Memorial—W. F. Hamner.....	923	1800	1800	.....	.....	600
3	Trinity—C. S. Stanton.....	225	700	700	27	27	360
4	St. James—G. T. D. Collins.....	338	600	600	.....	.....	.....
5	Grace—J. S. Engle.....	256	400	375	.....	.....	144
6	Roanoke Circuit—J. L. Henderson....	220	500	434	.....	.....	75
7	Vinton—C. H. Buchanan.....	346	600	509	.....	.....	150
8	Elliston—W. H. H. Joyce.....	335	400	400	.....	.....	100
9	Christiansburg—G. D. White.....	270	700	700	.....	.....	150
10	Blacksburg—W. L. Dolly.....	196	550	550	40	40	100
11	Newport—W. W. Hedrick.....	474	600	428	.....	.....	75
12	New Castle—J. W. Canter.....	244	400	294	.....	.....	40
13	Catawba—J. H. Schooley.....	357	260	222	.....	.....	.....
14	Fincastle—W. B. Dorsey.....	170	600	600	.....	.....	100
15	Amsterdam—A. Q. Flaherty.....	287	450	381	29	10	50
16	Botetourt—S. M. Bowman.....	280	600	600	.....	.....	100
17	James River—O. F. Burgess.....	251	500	500	.....	.....	100
18	Lexington—F. J. Prettyman.....	275	900	900	.....	.....	180
19	Buena Vista and Wesley Chapel— J. D. Martin.....	370	600	604	26	26	195
	L. H. Graybill...	.....	425	353	.....	.....	.....
20	Collierstown—H. L. Myerly.....	248	400	350	.....	.....	50
		6411	14385	13616	122	103	2709

TABLE No. 3—Sunday Schools.

Roanoke District.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Collected for S. S.	Money contributed for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in Sunday Schools.
1 Salem.....	3	55	479	370	312	.....	.....	582	6
2 Greene Memorial.....	2	44	540	162	280	.....	.....	442	12
3 Trinity.....	2	30	300	130	125	.....	.....	255	.....
4 St. James.....	1	22	248	123	22	.....	.....	145	11
5 Grace.....	2	36	310	133	40	.....	.....	173	73
6 Roanoke Circuit.....	3	25	230	43	6	.....	.....	49	.....
7 Vinton.....	1	18	170	36	90	.....	.....	126	23
8 Elliston.....	5	48	330	65	15	.....	.....	80	10
9 Christiansburg.....	2	25	148	91	131	.....	.....	222	.....
10 Blacksburg.....	2	24	115	24	50	6	.....	80	.....
11 Newport.....	4	45	255	40	20	.....	.....	60	.....
12 New Castle.....	3	25	250	40	10	.....	.....	50	20
13 Catawba.....	5	30	180	6	2	.....	.....	8	16
14 Fincastle.....	2	20	130	38	50	.....	.....	88	2
15 Amsterdam.....	3	31	289	10	.....	.....	.....	10	6
16 Botetourt.....	3	18	300	100	10	.....	.....	110	4
17 James River.....	3	30	250	44	8	.....	.....	52	10
18 Lexington.....	1	18	148	76	203	.....	.....	284	2
19 Buena Vista & W Chap.	2	30	240	86	16	.....	.....	102	6
20 Collierstown.....	4	35	200	21	32	.....	.....	53	20
	53	609	5112	1638	1327	6	.....	2971	221

TABLE No. 2—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1.....	140	140	1200	1200	28	28	138	138	311
2.....	170	170	2400	2400	42	42	209	209	933
3.....	80	80	1027	1027	21	21	105	105	312
4.....	55	55	600	600	14	14	69	23	125
5.....	35	25	544	519	9	5	47	20	167
6.....	60	52	575	509	12	9	57	30	25
7.....	65	56	750	659	14	10	68	50	75
8.....	50	50	500	500	9	5	46	28	.....
9.....	80	80	850	850	16	16	80	80	269
10.....	70	70	690	690	13	13	63	63	74
11.....	75	57	675	503	14	5	68	20	70
12.....	35	25	440	334	9	5	49	15	40
13.....	30	25	260	222	6	5	20	15	.....
14.....	65	65	700	700	14	14	67	35	90
15.....	65	54	529	441	10	10	52	35	30
16.....	65	65	700	700	14	8	69	28	100
17.....	55	55	600	600	11	6	51	22	40
18.....	85	85	1080	1080	21	21	104	104	295
19.....	80	72	1246	1178	21	9	105	42	135
20.....	40	35	450	400	10	2	46	12	26
	1400	1316	15816	15112	308	243	1513	1074	3167

TABLE No. 4—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION. *		Bible Cause.	DEL TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt.	Paine and Lane Institute.	Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1.....	188	188	115	115	40	40	24	24	..	16	16	...	...	...	2956
2.....	230	280	173	173	60	60	35	35	...	24	24	...	...	...	5008
3.....	140	140	86	86	30	30	18	18	...	12	12	...	...	...	3900
4.....	94	31	57	19	20	6	12	4	...	8	...	...	...	...	1276
5.....	62	30	39	16	13	5	8	3	...	5	2	...	...	...	1810
6.....	78	50	48	20	17	5	10	...	...	7	5	...	...	...	2284
7.....	95	65	57	15	20	5	12	5	...	8	5	...	...	69	1184
8.....	63	42	38	20	14	7	8	4	...	5	3	...	...	...	889
9.....	110	100	67	60	24	19	14	10	...	9	8	...	...	...	1714
10.....	86	86	52	26	19	5	11	3	...	8	8	...	...	...	1229
11.....	94	33	58	13	20	5	12	3	...	8	5	...	...	...	874
12.....	62	10	38	10	13	5	7	5	...	4	...	...	...	...	1999
13.....	39	34	33	28	8	8	5	3	...	3	2	...	...	...	350
14.....	95	58	58	10	20	7	12	4	...	8	8	...	...	...	1129
15.....	70	40	44	15	15	5	9	...	...	6	3	...	...	...	823
16.....	94	35	57	25	20	6	12	4	...	8	4	...	...	...	2185
17.....	70	18	43	15	16	3	9	2	...	6	...	...	...	...	928
18.....	141	141	86	86	30	30	18	18	2	12	12	...	...	...	3027
19.....	146	60	91	37	34	18	18	5	...	8	2	...	...	...	2187
20.....	63	25	37	7	14	2	8	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	714
	2070	1471	1277	796	447	271	262	152	2	170	119	....	....	69	36535

* See page 109.

TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Lewisburg District.		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	W. G. Hammond, Presiding Elder.....	....	1300	1173	....	....	....
1	Lewisburg—W. K. Marshall.....	236	700	700	....	....	150
2	Frankford—G. O. Homan	520	575	545	....	....	50
	E. E. Overbolt. ....	....	75	71	....	....	....
3	Blue Sulphur—G. R. Mays.....	399	475	353	....	....	30
	*E. E. Overbolt.....	....	150	104	....	....	....
4	Greenville—H. M. Roane.....	372	475	331	....	....	50
5	Hinton—O. C. Beall.....	215	700	601	....	....	150
6	Talcott—J. J. Crickenberger.....	171	365	205	....	....	60
7	Alderson—J. F. Baggs.....	230	600	600	....	....	150
8	Clifton Forge—J. H. Davidson.....	185	700	605	23	23	143
9	Alleghany—J. M. McNeil.	187	300	300	....	....	25
10	Ronceverte and White Sulphur— W. H. Ballangee....	239	550	550	....	....	150
11	Union—R. H. Wilson.....	342	575	547	28	28	100
12	Alvon—J. T. Maxwell.....	180	280	180	....	....	25
13	Covington—D. F. Eutsler.....	169	700	670	....	....	150
14	Levelton—C. Sydenstricker.....	312	600	607	....	....	165
15	Hot Springs—W. T. Gover.....	91	235	209	....	....	30
16	Green Bank—C. C. Potter.....	406	550	515	....	....	50
17	Millboro and Shiloh—J. M. Eavey.....	90	225	153	....	....	50
18	Gilletts—J. L. McNeer.	167	305	220	....	....	30
19	Huntersville—C. M. Sarver.....	155	275	278	....	....	....
		1666	10710	9517	51	51	1558

* Served part of the year.

TABLE No. 3—Sunday Schools.

Lewisburg District.		No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Col-lected for S. S.	Money contrib-uted for Missions	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in Sunday Schools.
1	Lewisburg.....	2	22	175	119	87	6	10	222	5
2	Frankford.....	8	41	486	65	75	....	....	140	25
3	Blue Sulphur.....	5	30	236	10	....	....	....	10	9
4	Greenville.....	4	20	185	18	....	....	....	18	10
5	Hinton.....	1	12	135	53	46	....	....	99	30
6	Talcott.....	3	20	130	12	....	....	....	12	....
7	Alderson.....	2	30	175	100	20	....	....	120	....
8	Clifton Forge.....	1	18	128	83	59	5	....	147	13
9	Alleghany.....	6	30	180	15	....	....	....	15	10
10	Ronceverte, W. Sulphur.....	2	20	160	135	50	....	....	185	16
11	Union.....	5	36	216	24	....	....	....	24	5
12	Alvon.....	6	31	186	5	....	....	....	5	10
13	Covington.....	2	24	200	68	44	3	....	115	23
14	Levelton.....	5	42	333	53	123	....	....	176	56
15	Hot Springs.....	3	12	90	8	....	....	....	8	13
16	Green Bank.....	5	25	135	30	....	....	....	30	....
17	Millboro and Shiloh...	5	20	256	15	18	....	....	33	....
18	Gilletts.....	3	15	140	8	....	....	....	8	....
19	Huntersville.....	2	14	80	10	....	....	....	10	....
		70	462	3626	831	522	14	10	1377	225

TABLE No. 2.—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENEC CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1.....	100	100	850	850	16	16	76	76	85
2.....	125	118	700	666	19	17	95	75	60
3.....	75	56	655	487	11	6	57	10	.....
4.....	80	54	525	381	12	8	61	15	10
5.....	100	81	850	751	16	10	76	46	146
6.....	45	25	425	265	7	5	40	5	18
7.....	85	85	750	750	13	7	65	25	64
8.....	55	48	866	771	8	8	42	42	125
9.....	25	25	325	325	4	4	19	12	30
10.....	80	80	700	700	12	12	61	40	75
11.....	90	86	703	675	15	15	68	27	71
12.....	20	20	305	205	3	3	15	8	5
13.....	105	100	850	820	17	14	80	64	110
14.....	110	110	765	772	17	10	84	84	90
15.....	35	31	265	239	5	2	26	5	25
16.....	70	70	600	565	11	8	53	18	.....
17.....	25	17	275	203	4	2	19	9	.....
18.....	25	16	335	250	4	2	19	7	10
19.....	50	51	275	278	8	8	38	20	.....
	1300	1173	11019	9953	202	157	994	588	924

TABLE No. 4—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL. TO G'L CON		Mission Debt.	Paine and Lane Institute.	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1.....	106	106	66	53	24	24	13	13	8	9	9	8	.....	.....	1745
2.....	133	100	82	44	30	15	17	9	.....	9	7	10	.....	.....	2461
3.....	80	12	49	5	18	2	19	.....	.....	7	4	.....	.....	.....	642
4.....	85	32	53	15	19	.....	11	.....	.....	7	5	.....	.....	.....	788
5.....	106	56	66	25	24	5	13	5	10	9	5	10	.....	.....	6399
6.....	45	5	35	3	12	.....	10	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	438
7.....	79	40	56	10	20	3	11	2	.....	7	3	.....	.....	.....	1194
8.....	59	59	37	37	13	13	7	7	12	5	5	.....	.....	.....	2157
9.....	27	14	16	8	6	3	3	1	.....	2	1	2	.....	.....	485
10.....	85	75	53	31	19	19	11	11	5	5	5	.....	5	.....	1634
11.....	95	56	59	35	22	8	12	4	.....	7	3	10	.....	.....	1046
12.....	20	15	13	10	5	2	3	1	.....	2	2	8	.....	.....	284
13.....	112	90	69	55	25	20	14	10	.....	9	4	.....	.....	.....	2317
14.....	117	90	72	58	27	15	15	12	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	1497
15.....	38	.....	23	14	8	.....	5	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	784
16.....	75	22	46	16	17	6	9	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	785
17.....	27	12	16	7	6	3	3	1	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	418
18.....	27	8	16	6	6	3	3	.....	.....	2	1	3	.....	.....	364
19.....	53	26	33	15	12	6	7	3	.....	4	3	8	.....	.....	428
	1369	818	860	447	313	147	177	79	35	110	58	59	5	.....	25866

* See page 109.

TABLE No. 2.—Details reported by order of Conference.

Moorefield District.		Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of parsonage.
			Preacher's Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
			Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
	G. T. Tyler, Presiding Elder		1460	1345			
1	Moorefield—H. A. Brown	282	700	700			150
2	Petersburg—I. G. Michael ..	168	350	300			100
3	Franklin—S. Townsend	256	470	391			30
4	Crab Bottom—C. W. Mark.....	270	400	353			75
5	Keyser—J. O. Knott.....	201	800	800			150
6	Elk Garden—J. W. Beall.	146	400	400			
7	Piedmont—W. F. Locke.....	165	550	550			
8	Frostburg—W. A. Sites	131	350	350			30
9	Flintstone—L. Hammond.....	240	500	483			50
10	Romney—D. L. Reid ..	547	700	700			150
	*J. J. Ringer		210	210			
11	Springfield—S. A. Parker	450	550	550	10		100
	*Wm. Stevens.....		150	100			
12	Slanesville—H. T. Heironimus..	206	325	315			
13	Hardy—C. P. Smith.	402	300	300			
14	Morgan—M. M. Long.....	320	400	360	17	17	14
15	Gainesboro—L. R. Markwood...	470	500	443			150
16	Wardensville—W. H. Marsh.....	254	310	304			60
17	Capon Bridge—C. H. Wood.....	372	575	600			100
18	Listonburg—A. C. Hamill	207	425	364			36
19	Monterey—F. E. Hammond.....	309	523	451			150
20	McDowell—J. M. Hawley.....	303	500	488			75
		5698	11388	10857	27	17	1420

TABLE No. 3—Sunday Schools.

	Moorefield District.	No. of Schools.	No. of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars	Collected for S. Schools.	Money contributed for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in S. Schools.
1	Moorefield.....	4	25	200	25	50			75	3
2	Petersburg.....	6	30	300	35	3			38	7
3	Franklin.....	4	38	180	40	20			60	16
4	Crab Bottom.....	3	21	185	38				38	6
5	Keyser.....	1	27	300	150	100		12	262	9
6	Elk Garden.....	2	25	250	134	35			169	25
7	Piedmont.....	1	18	165	80	126			206	8
8	Frostburg.....	2	14	90	40	15			55	
9	Flintstone.....	6	41	188	20				20	12
10	Romney.....	9	50	335	85	10			95	75
11	Springfield.....	8	59	453	144	45			189	40
12	Slanesville.....	7	52	239	23	37			60	3
13	Hardy.....	7	71	340	201	12	9	50	272	
14	Morgan.....	6	50	330	8				8	27
15	Gainesboro.....	8	50	460	40	12			52	9
16	Wardensville.....	3	23	110	24	2			26	10
17	Capon Bridge.....	6	67	290	50				50	6
18	Listonburg.....	4	28	184		9		7	16	
19	Monterey.....	5	33	266	48	9	3	13	73	25
20	McDowell.....	6	56	356	55	27	9		91	
		98	778	5221	1240	512	21	82	1855	281

*Served only a part of the year.

TABLE No. 2.—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, fuel, &c.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1.....	125	125	850	850	19	15	94	60	100
2.....	65	53	450	400	6	3	46	12	25
3.....	68	58	500	421	14	5	65	20	30
4.....	65	57	475	428	12	6	54	19	25
5.....	85	85	950	950	15	15	76	76	225
6.....	42	42	400	400	8	8	37	37	40
7.....	89	89	550	550	14	14	72	72	150
8.....	72	72	380	380	12	4	60	12	75
9.....	56	55	550	533	13	5	68	20	55
10.....	125	125	1060	1060	20	20	97	97	260
11.....	72	72	810	750	16	14	88	80	60
12.....	58	58	325	315	12	12	58	58	25
13.....	59	59	300	300	10	10	42	27	81
14.....	42	38	431	391	11	9	54	12	20
15.....	64	57	650	593	12	8	65	25	30
16.....	46	45	370	364	10	4	42	21	40
17.....	69	69	675	700	13	13	65	47	30
18.....	66	65	461	400	9	6	48	24	40
19.....	68	59	673	601	15	14	74	70	63
20.....	64	62	575	563	14	9	68	40	46
	1400	1345	11435	10949	255	194	1273	829	1420

TABLE No. 4.—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS.		DOMES. MISS'NS		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL. TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt.	Paine and Lane Institute.	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1.....	103	80	65	30	27	5	17	5	2	11	5	23	....	..	1445
2.....	50	19	30	25	14	10	....	2	....	6	....	....	....	....	687
3.....	74	22	45	15	18	5	11	5	1	8	2	....	....	..	874
4.....	60	23	37	11	15	4	9	....	....	7	2	....	....	25	638
5.....	81	81	50	50	20	20	13	13	6	9	9	....	....	72	1976
6.....	45	45	25	25	10	10	6	6	....	4	4	....	....	....	901
7.....	81	81	50	50	20	9	13	4	5	9	3	....	....	....	1296
8.....	60	12	46	8	16	3	9	2	....	6	....	....	....	....	723
9.....	74	25	45	13	18	6	12	3	....	8	2	....	....	....	2497
10.....	105	105	64	64	30	30	18	18	19	11	11	....	....	....	2297
11.....	95	83	58	50	20	15	15	6	....	10	8	....	....	130	1763
12.....	60	60	42	42	17	17	10	10	....	9	9	....	....	....	846
13.....	48	48	31	16	14	7	9	6	1	5	....	....	....	....	887
14.....	55	15	35	10	15	....	8	3	....	6	2	....	....	....	1108
15.....	68	22	42	18	17	3	11	4	2	6	....	....	....	....	1014
16.....	50	25	28	10	11	4	9	3	....	5	2	....	....	....	1053
17.....	67	67	42	20	16	6	11	6	....	6	4	....	....	....	1012
18.....	52	32	32	18	15	5	9	3	....	6	5	....	....	....	654
19.....	81	77	50	46	20	18	13	12	6	8	8	....	....	....	1194
20.....	74	48	45	25	19	5	12	5	....	8	5	....	....	....	1400
	1383	970	856	546	352	182	215	116	35	148	81	23	....	227	24265

* See page 109.

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

TABLE No. 2—Details reported by order of Conference.

DISTRICTS.	Members.	MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.				House rent paid or rent value of par- sonage.
		Preachers' Salary.		Trav. Expen.		
		Est'd.	Paid.	Est'd.	Paid.	
1 Baltimore.....	5089	16770	16232	45	25	2883
2 East Baltimore.....	4457	14955	14080	80	28	2183
3 Washington.....	7454	17425	16821	185	172	3467
4 Winchester.....	6681	14264	13514	108	67	2136
5 Rockingham.....	5493	11784	10962	35	35	1492
6 Roanoke.....	6411	14385	13616	122	103	2709
7 Lewisburg.....	4666	10710	9517	51	51	1558
8 Moorefield.....	5698	11388	10857	27	17	1420
Total this year.....	45949	111681	105599	653	498	17848
Total last year.....	43823	110374	105603	874	723	18567
Increase.....	2126	1307				
Decrease.....			4	221	225	719

TABLE No. 3—Sunday Schools.

DISTRICTS.	No. of Schools.	No of Officers and Teachers.	No. of Scholars.	Money Collected for S. S.	Money contrib- uted for Missions.	Collected on Children's Day.	Collected for Other Objects.	Total Amount Raised.	Conversions in Sunday Schools.
1 Baltimore.....	64	792	5279	2189	2166	28	8	4391	172
2 East Baltimore...	54	508	3461	1441	1478	3	222	3144	156
3 Washington.....	75	908	5485	2223	1584	33	67	3907	155
4 Winchester.....	69	786	5595	1564	1311	97	21	2993	429
5 Rockingham.....	57	647	4416	1386	712	10	62	2170	188
6 Roanoke.....	53	609	5112	1638	1327	6	.....	2971	221
7 Lewisburg.....	70	462	3626	831	522	4	10	1377	225
8 Moorefield.....	98	778	5221	1240	512	21	82	1855	281
Total this year.	540	5435	38195	12512	9612	212	472	22808	1827
Total last year.	554	5428	37434	12730	9638	342	242	22952	1406
Increase.....	.....	7	761	.....	.....	.....	230	144	421
Decrease.....	14	.....	.....	218	26	130	.....	.....	.....

RECAPITULATION BY DISTRICTS.

TABLE No. 2.—Uniform Statistics, Aggregate of Salary, Traveling Expenses and House Rent.

	PRESIDING ELDER.		PREACHER IN CHARGE.		BISHOP'S FUND.		CONF'RENCE CLAIMANTS.		Other objects— Lights, Fuel, &c.
	Est'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	
1.....	1800	1724	17898	17416	333	300	1643	1333	8136
2.....	1800	1697	15418	14594	311	292	1545	1183	5108
3.....	1700	1661	19377	18799	370	339	1842	1542	5869
4.....	1400	1319	15108	14398	284	207	1404	1024	2502
5.....	1399	1280	11912	11209	264	204	1292	824	1909
6.....	1400	1316	15816	15112	308	248	1513	1074	3167
7.....	1300	1173	11019	9953	202	157	994	588	924
8.....	1400	1345	11435	10949	255	194	1273	829	1420
	12199	11515	117983	112430	2327	1941	11506	8397	29035

TABLE No. 4.—Missions, Church Extension, &c.

	FOREIGN MISSIONS		DOMESTIC MISSIONS.		CHURCH EXTEN.		EDUCA- TION.*		Bible Cause.	DEL. TO G'L CON.		Mission Debt	Paine and Lane Instit'ns	For Other Objects.	Total from all Sources.
	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.	Ass'd.	Paid.		Ass'd.	Paid.				
1.....	2246	1857	1389	1025	565	373	276	203	73	165	147	133	...	....	49447
2.....	1900	1343	1166	777	448	263	270	167	30	176	108	113	....	1248	43976
3.....	2314	1849	1363	999	600	401	324	217	17	205	176	89	32	1967	48283
4.....	1920	1338	1135	789	472	287	236	147	33	160	110	5	...	249	35368
5.....	1388	977	856	491	403	201	226	122	11	155	102	53	....	2626	47433
6.....	2070	1471	1277	796	447	271	262	152	2	170	119	...	....	69	36535
7.....	1369	818	860	447	313	147	177	79	35	110	58	59	5	....	25866
8.....	1383	970	856	546	352	182	215	116	35	148	81	23	...	227	24265
	14533	10623	8952	5870	3600	2125	1986	1203	236	1289	901	475	37	6386	311173
	14130	11300	8001	5617	3595	2343	1970	1325	237	2320	17	5224	274217
	103	951	253	5	16	1289	901	20	1162	36956
	677	218	122	1	1845

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